WEATHER FORECAST

Victoria and Vicinity—Fresh to strong west winds; partly cloudy, with occasional rain.
Vancouver and Vicinity—Fresh to strong west winds; unsettled weather; rain or sleet.
Juan de Fuca to Estevan—Fresh to strong west winds; partly cloudy; rain or sleet.

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JAPANESE SOLDIERS SEIZE GOVERNMENT

HUNDREDS HOMELESS AS FLOODS SPREAD IN MANY DISTRICTS

Colder Weather Reduces Threats in Mid-Western States as Ice Jams Block Rivers—New Blizzard Strikes in Wyoming—Waters Continue to Rise in Sections of California

CHICAGO, Feb. 25 (AP).—Colder weather relieved flood threats in some North Central sections of the United States tonight, but high water rolled over thousands of California acres and rose behind ice gorges in other sections, leaving hundreds homeless. One woman was drowned when the Eel River overflowed into the residential district of Logansport, Indiana.

Dynamite blasts sounded through the Middle West in efforts to clear ice jams. Close watch was maintained on streams breaking up in Nebraska, Iowa, Pennsylvania, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Kansas and Missouri. Heavy thawing in northern states slowed as temperatures fell, reducing flood hazards.

BLIZZARD IN WYOMING

A blizzard described as the worst of the season moved into Northern Wyoming, stopping all northbound traffic at Rock Springs. A new snowstorm blanketed the far Northwest.

Ohio was the newest focal point of flood trouble. Homes and highways were inundated by water rising behind ice gorges. Nearly 100 families fled from mining communities in the Wheeling Creek Valley.

TYPHOID OUTBREAK FEARED

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25 (AP).—Flooded areas of California's central valleys guarded against possible typhoid outbreaks today as one of

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READY TO TAKE CASE TO COURT

France Would Uphold Right To Mutual Assistance Pact With Soviet

PARIS, Feb. 25 (CP-Havas).—France stands ready to go before the World Court with Germany to decide whether the Franco-Soviet mutual assistance pact violates the Locarno treaties, Foreign Minister Pierre-Etienne Flandin told the Chamber of Deputies today.

M. Flandin made the offer in the course of his first important Chamber speech, urging ratification of the pact with the Soviet Union as a necessary step in the creation of collective security.

NOT MILITARY ALLIANCE

He denied that the pact could be interpreted as a military alliance, adding, however, that governments naturally discuss military conditions under which they would exchange assistance.

"We would be unjust to forget that Russian arms contributed to the victory of the Marne," he told the Deputies.

(The invasion of East Prussia by the Russian Army in 1914 compelled Germany to withdraw two army corps from the Western Front immediately before the first Battle of the Marne began, thereby making them numerically weaker than the Allies for the first time.)

NOTHING IN COMMON

Flandin asserted the treaty had nothing in common with the pre-war Franco-Russian alliance because its doors were still wide open to Germany.

Debate on the pact, ratification of which is believed assured, will resume on Thursday.

Ship Goes Ashore on East Coast

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Feb. 25 (AP).—The Coast Guard reported tonight the steamer Florida was aground in Craig Hill Channel, about fifteen miles from Baltimore.

Meagre reports here, coast guardsmen said, indicated ice conditions were responsible for the vessel's plight.

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SAYS PARTY RESPONSIBLE

Dr. Jack McDougall Tells Of Swing From Liberalism to Socialism

Liberalism of its own volition is tending to make Socialists out of many persons in British Columbia, Dr. Jack McDougall told members of Ward Two Liberal Association during a meeting in Liberal headquarters last evening. Dr. McDougall was a Federal Liberal candidate for the Vancouver East riding.

Giving a reason for his startling remark, Dr. McDougall told of the man on the street, whose friend was elected to the Provincial Legislature. Once a member, the friend immediately became unapproachable. He also declared that many legislators tried to convey the impression that they were far superior to ordinary citizens.

"Too many legislators are not willing to face the facts of Liberalism and unsuccessfully attempt to delude the public by calling a spade an elongated horticultural implement. British Columbia will go C.C.F. within two years unless sufficient Liberals get up and say what is wrong with the Liberal Party today. We want more positive action and less talk," Dr. McDougall asserted.

Voters get the type of government they deserved, he declared. He believed it was the duty of all Lib-

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ORDER DISMISSAL OF LAW OFFICER

Secret Police of Germany Make Drastic Use of Sweeping New Powers

BERLIN, Feb. 25 (CP-Havas).—Germany's secret police, the Gestapo, today utilized its sweeping new powers to order the dismissal of Berlin's Attorney-General, Heinrich Thomas, and an assistant named Karlsheim.

This step was taken, the secret police charged, because the city's legal staff refused to accept the Gestapo's claim that a Jewish construction firm was responsible for a subway cave-in causing the death of twenty-one workmen last August.

In addition to the Gestapo investigation, separate probes into the subway accident were conducted by Dr. Robert Ley, chief of the Nazi Labor Front; Wilhelm Frick, Minister of the Interior, and Count Wolf von Helldorf, head of the Berlin police.

British Columbia Legislature Opens



What Is Expected to Be a Relatively Brief Session of the British Columbia Legislature. Opened Yesterday. On the Left, Top and Bottom, are Hon. J. W. Fordham Johnson, Lieutenant-Governor, Who officiated at the Opening, and Premier Pattullo.

MUNICIPAL HELP IS NOT POSSIBLE NOW GOVERNMENT SAYS

Speech From Throne Devoid of Any Concrete Programme of Legislation for Current Session—State Health Insurance Is Not Mentioned—House Pays Impressive Tribute to King

WITH a Speech from the Throne that blasted all hope of municipal aid this session, but which was devoid of any concrete legislative programme, the third session of the Eighteenth Legislature of British Columbia swung into action yesterday. State health was not mentioned, and a Speech traditionally devoted to indicating something of the Government's intentions made little if any disclosure.

In a House draped in purple and black for Royal mourning and peopled by members and guests sombrely attired, there was, nevertheless, enacted a briefly impressive scene as the legislators and those in the public galleries stood in reverent tribute to the memory of His Late Majesty King George V. Resolutions of condolence and fealty, offered by Premier Pattullo and Opposition Leader Connell, were observed standing.

FORMAL OPENING

For the rest, the formal opening followed—custom, His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor being received with a salute of seventeen guns, and attended inside the House by a uniformed escort of naval and military officers. His aides for the day were Lieutenant-Commander A. Wurtele and Captain R. L. Mitchell, with A. M. D. Fairbairn, His Honor's private secretary. Mrs. J. W. Fordham Johnson and Mrs. G. C. Jones were accompanied by Captain and Mrs. Hobart Molson, completing the party from Government House.

The first sitting of the third session occupied twenty-three minutes. In that time the Legislature took a bill to amend the Court of Appeal Act through one stage, before adjourning the main debate on the

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Oldest Twins in Canada Celebrate Eightieth Birthday

WINDSOR, Ont., Feb. 25 (CP.)—Believed to be the oldest twins in Canada, Maxfield Sheppard, Windsor lawyer, and his brother Nugent, of Montreal, celebrated their eightieth birthday yesterday. Longevity, however, appears to run in the family. Five other brothers and sisters all are past seventy years of age.

J. Dore and Langlie Are Nominated

SEATTLE, Feb. 25 (AP).—Complete and unofficial returns tonight showed Councilman Arthur B. Langlie and ex-Mayor John F. Dore nominated for Mayor, with Mayor Charles L. Smith running third.

The count was: Langlie 21,149; Dore, 15,083; Smith, 14,941.

The recapitulation also indicated the six nominated for the three council seats were Councilman Robert H. Harlin, 33,765; ex-Councilman David Levine, 32,996; Councilman Frank J. Laube, 26,880; Carlos R. Zener, 22,883; Albert H. Kelly, 22,199; Patrolman William L. Norton, 15,738. In seventh place was Henri Damski, radio orchestra leader, with 11,124.

SUGGEST NEW NAVAL PACTS

Several Fresh Agreements Are Proposed at Conference Held in London

LONDON, Feb. 25 (AP). — France, concerned regarding a reported British proposal for an Anglo-German-American naval treaty, has made counter-proposals for an agreement, it was learned authoritatively tonight.

The French suggested that members of the present four-power conference, Great Britain, the United States, France and Italy, sign a treaty and that afterward Britain make a separate naval agreement with Germany, along the same lines but outside the conference.

BRITISH PROPOSAL

This development came after Britain, anticipating a break-down of the four-power talks, proposed a three-cornered treaty with Germany and the United States. France had refused to yield to British demands that Germany be invited to the conference, demanding a defensive air pact with Britain, as a price for relenting.

Italy has notified Britain that she would sign no agreement until the League sanctions against her have been lifted.

The French, it was learned, told the British late today that they felt

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Schoolboy Guilty Of Manslaughter

MONTREAL, Feb. 25 (CP.)—Louis di Benga, fifteen-year-old high school student, was convicted today on a charge of manslaughter arising from the shooting of his stepmother last October. The boy had been charged with murder, but the jury returned the manslaughter verdict with a recommendation for mercy.

After speaking only ten minutes, he adjourned debate in the evening and it will not be resumed until Friday.

Crowded galleries listened to the discussion, one of the most interested being Norman Armour, United States Minister to Canada. He was surrounded by trade officials of his office.

After the trade discussion, the House turned to estimates, covering

Canadian-American Trade Agreement Is Introduced in House

Prime Minister Asks Ratification of Treaty, Stressing Mutual Advantages to Be Gained By Both Countries—Bennett Disagrees

OTTAWA, Feb. 25 (CP.)—The dream of one Canadian Government after another for seventy years became a reality in the House of Commons today when Premier Mackenzie King introduced the Canadian-American Reciprocity Treaty and proposed its ratification.

The Prime Minister stressed the mutual advantages to be gained by both countries in trade promotion. He predicted it would be only the initial step in that direction, that wider concessions would be gained in the future when the three-year life of the treaty expires.

TAKES OPPOSITE VIEW

Conservative Leader Bennett took the opposite viewpoint that the treaty was disadvantageous to Canada,

Report Says Premier And Ministers Slain In Army Coup d'Etat

Censorship Clamped Down on Nation, But Rumors Filtering Through Tell of Sudden Seizure of Affairs by Infantry Regiment—Martial Law Is Proclaimed

TOKIO, Feb. 26 (AP).—Emperor Hirohito summoned Admiral Mineo Osumi to the palace today and commanded him to form a new Cabinet. (This was the first advice to be received directly from Tokio since reports from all over the world indicated a militarist uprising in the capital of the Japanese Empire.)

LONDON, Feb. 26 (AP).—An Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Singapore, Straits Settlements, said it was officially confirmed there today that Premier Keisuke Odada, Finance Minister Takahashi and Count Saito were assassinated at Tokio.

By MORRIS J. HARRIS
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SHANGHAI, Feb. 26.—Reliable Japanese quarters said Japanese militarists, striking swiftly at dawn, seized control of the Government at Tokio today. Unconfirmed Chinese reports said leading Government officials were assassinated, including Premier Keisuke Okada, Home Minister Fumio Goto, Viscount Koreikiyo Takahashi, Minister of Finance, and a high official of the powerful Mitsubishi industrial combine.

Meager advices from the capital of the empire said martial law had been declared. Reports said several political leaders were assassinated but did not attempt to identify them.

Trading on the Tokio and Osaka Stock Exchange was reported suspended.

The Domei (Japanese) News Agency said the coup was engineered by younger officers of the army.

Responsible Japanese quarters here asserted the Third Infantry Regiment of the First Tokio Division at dawn took over the Metropolitan Police Board and homes of Cabinet ministers in the heart of the city.

IMPERIAL GUARDS UNDER ARMS

The Japanese sources reported they had been informed that Imperial bodyguards had received marching orders, apparently to move against the rebels.

The Japanese sources declared Tokio was seemingly isolated from the world. Complete lack of communications appeared to bear out reports that a strict censorship had been imposed.

The First Tokio Division was recently mobilized for service in Manchukuo and had been issued ammunition preparatory for their scheduled departure this week.

The Japanese Embassy here denied knowledge of the reported coup and its details. Other advices indicated telephone and telegraph exchanges in Tokio had also been seized.

The Shanghai Exchange, where many calls were piled up for Tokio, said its only information was that there was a "fault developed in the service within Japan."

A Singapore Reuter's dispatch said the Japanese consul was advised by his Foreign Office that military authorities had seized the home of Premier Keisuke Okada, a retired admiral, all police offices and the residence of Fumio Goto, the Home Minister.

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One Little Wire Kills Cows, Cat And Two Rabbits

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., Feb. 25 (AP).—One thing led to another in Langell Valley when a power line fell and killed a cow. Another cow touched the dead one and received a jolt that stunned her for several minutes. A cat came to inspect and was electrocuted. Two jackrabbits met similar fates.

ETHIOPIANS IN OFFENSIVE

Claim Destruction of Italian Garrison in Eritrea—Alaji Still Safe

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ADDIS ABABA, Feb. 25 (CP. — A strong Ethiopian force invaded Italy's colony of Eritrea on February 19 and destroyed the Italian garrison at Om Ager, after blowing up four powder magazines and a munitions dump and firing an important war supplies storehouse, the Government asserted in an official communique here tonight.

This is the first time Ethiopia officially has claimed invasion of Italian territory by tribal troops. At the same time authorities declared Ras Imru's guerilla raiders had killed 728 Italians during the last week in the sector near Aksum and Aduwa, far north of Marshal Pietro Badoglio's front lines.

IN COUNTER-OFFENSIVE

The two official statements convinced observers that Ethiopia's Northern generals had organized a concerted counter-offensive against the Italian rearguard in a determined attempt to lure the enemy from the path of its southward advance toward Mount Alaji and Dessye.

The surprise attack on Om Ager, a settlement on the River Setit immediately across the Eritrean border, was launched from the Wolkait region, the communique said. Enveloped by flames and torn by

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COUGARS DRIVEN DOWN BY STORMY WEATHER

GIBSON'S LANDING, B.C., Feb. 25 (CP.)—A cougar, forced from its usual home in the higher regions by stormy weather, was shot at Gower Point after being treed by a dog.

The cougar, which had killed a goat, was nine feet long. It was the second one killed in the vicinity in the last few days.

Seeking Old Age Pension for Son

KITCHENER, Ont., Feb. 25 (CP.)—A brisk man, who looked sixty or thereabouts, stepped up to the desk of L. D. Keyes, J.P., and said he wanted to swear out an affidavit his son was seventy. "I guess my son wants to get the old age pension or something," said Joseph Garner. "Me? Oh, I was born back in 1846."

Floods in France When Dikes Give

ST. MARTIN-DE-RE, France, Feb. 25 (CP-Havas). — More than 1,000 residents of this inland community were made homeless when the sea crashed through weakened dikes and caused the worst floods witnessed here in more than half a century.

DID IT ON A DIET

NEWARK, N.J., Feb. 25 (CP.)—Corned beef and cabbage did it, Mrs. Ann Devaney said today as she celebrated her 103rd birthday anniversary. "I eat hearty meals and get plenty of sleep," Mrs. Devaney said.

MANCHUKUO GIVES ANOTHER WARNING

Demands Immediate Withdrawal of Mongol Troops From Disputed Frontier Territory

TOKIO, Feb. 25 (CP-Havas). — Manchukuo tonight again warned the Outer Mongolian Government it would take "appropriate measures" if Mongol troops are not immediately withdrawn from the disputed frontier territory around Olahodka, near Lake Buir.

The threat was telegraphed to Urga, Mongol capital, from Hsinking, the Domei (Japanese) Agency reported.

Manchukuo also demanded that Mongol troops "cease their provocative activities" on the border and requested the immediate initiation of diplomatic relations between the two countries.

Sea Lion Is Captured Mile From River and Far From Briny Deep

Big Mammal Journeys 160 Miles From Pacific Ocean and Over Falls at Oregon City—Is Placed in Sea Again

CANBY, Ore., Feb. 25 (AP).—It is just possible tonight that somewhere in the Pacific Ocean a one-eyed, shot-riddled sea lion is holding court to relate in sad voice the vicissitudes of a visit with the human race.

The sea lion, which hove into the Willamette River last week and hoisted a nine-foot body over the falls at Oregon City, was captured today.

The capture was made in a grain field a mile from Pudding River and 130 miles from the 68,000,000-square-mile Pacific which the mammal apparently found too small.

The capture was effected only after a tried and true contingent of eight state police twice had encircled the 1,200-pound body with ropes.

Exhausted from repeated lunges, her flappers almost flap-less but her one eye none-the-less baleful, she was hauled to a truck, hoisted by a block and tackle and taken to Nelscott on the Oregon coast where it slithered down the beach to more familiar haunts.

U.S. PARK HEAD DIES IN SMASH

Collision Fatal to Three—Wild Life Authority Among Accident Victims

DEMING, N.M., Feb. 25 (AP).—Three persons, including Roger W. Toll, superintendent of the Yellowstone National Park, and George Wright, of Washington, D.C., chief of wild life research, National Park Service, were killed in an automobile collision near here today.

Thomas Henry Ohmer, seventeen, of New Milford, Conn., driver of the automobile which collided with the machine occupied by Toll and Wright, also died in the wreck. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ohmer, and his twelve-year-old sister, Clara, were injured.

TIRE BLOWOUT BLAMED

Investigating officers said a tire blew out on the rear right wheel of the east-bound Ohmer car, catapulting it into the path of the west-bound machine in which Toll and Wright were riding.

The lighter automobile in which Toll and Wright were riding smashed almost completely through the other car, demolishing both.

Toll and Wright, with Dr. Bell and McDougall, as members of an international park commission, were on their way to Arizona to inspect a proposed international park site on the Mexican border. The commission had just completed a similar site survey in the Big Bend region of Texas and Mexico.

Harred Insists Story Of Finding Redfern in Brazilian Jungle True

Said to Affirm Williams, Who Branded Report "Bunk," Plans to Fly Members of Lost Aviator's Family to Jungle Village

GEORGETOWN, British Guiana, Feb. 25 (Æ).—Messages reaching here today said a sharp telegraphic and newspaper duel has arisen between Alfred Harred, who recently claimed he and Art Williams, American flyer, had talked to Paul Redfern in the Brazilian jungle and Williams who says it is all "just so much bunk."

Exchange messages reaching The Georgetown Chronicle from The Paramaribo, Dutch Guiana, Debanier stated Harred is being closely questioned by Surinam authorities on behalf of the United States Government regarding his publicized statement that the eight-years-missing American flyer had been found, but was unable to escape an uncivilized Indian tribe, which held him in virtual captivity.

SUPPLEMENTS STORY

Harred is reported to have insisted that Redfern was found, and charged Williams was planning to bring two members of the Redfern family to South America from the United States and fly them to the village where the aviator is held.

In a signed statement to The Debanier, Harred, a purported member of the Dutch section of a boundary commission arranging boundaries between Brazil, Dutch and British Guiana, said Williams had arranged to pay him $500 to act as guide when the members of the Redfern family arrived here.

DENIES STATEMENT

Williams, who has been leading parties in search of Redfern since early December, strenuously denied last week Harred's original statement that Redfern had been found, and said he did not know the man, who claimed to have accompanied him into the jungle.

There used to be an unwritten rule of letter etiquette to the effect that it was contrary to good taste to use the personal pronoun I, as the first word of a letter. This rule, however, has not been observed for many years.

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COLD EPIDEMIC GROWS SERIOUS

Many Schools Closed in Washington State as Influenza Spreads

SEATTLE, Feb. 25 (AP).—Heavily-populated centres of Washington were threatened with serious developments in a current influenza and cold epidemic today which spread to eight counties in different sections of the state.

State Director of Health E. R. Coffy said the spread of illnesses due to cold weather, influenza, pneumonia and colds was becoming "alarming and serious."

He said he had no definite figures on how many persons were ill, but that their number was increasing.

FOUR DEATHS IN SPOKANE

Four influenza deaths were reported in Spokane.

The counties of King, Kitsap, Cowlitz, Benton, Yakima, Walla Walla, Snohomish and Kittitas were the most affected. Others reported a slight increase in influenza and colds.

Twelve Snohomish County schools have closed in less than a week.

Everett and Mukilteo took action last Friday after half the students were absent. East Everett, Lake Stevens, Thorp, Sultan and Startup schools closed Monday. County Health Officer H. L. Eldridge closed schools in War, Beach and Cathcart yesterday.

HOSPITALS ARE CROWDED

Longview, Cowlitz County, closed its schools yesterday after 600 students were absent. Hospitals reported an unprecedented influx of influenza patients. One hospital said it planned to open a new ward to accommodate the increasing number of patients.

MUNICIPAL AID IS IMPOSSIBLE NOW

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Address in Reply to the Speech from the Throne. Mr. Speaker Perry reported the resignations of Mr. Justice Manson and Mayor G. G. McGeer, K.C., M.P., now called to more responsible duties elsewhere.

Naming a committee on committees, the Government proposed and the House approved of the following personnel: Messrs. G. S. Wismer, D. McPherson, Byron Johnson, Robert Connell and R. H. Pooley, K.C.

MEDALS WORN

Cabinet and private members wore their Jubilee medals, and a few were noticed with war decorations. The Liberal roses were absent, but Mr. Pooley had Esquimalt primroses in his lapel, which he shared with Roiph Bruhn and Herbert Anscomb. Leading members of the church, the judiciary, and the university attended in their robes, as well as a representative gathering of British Columbia citizens. Prayers were said by Rt. Rev. H. E. Sexton, Bishop Coadjutor of Columbia.

Remarkable for its omissions rather than what it contained, the Speech from the Throne was as follows:

SPEECH FROM THRONE

"Mr. Speaker and members of the Legislative Assembly:

"I welcome you to the third session of the Eighteenth Parliament of British Columbia.

"Last year was the twenty-fifth anniversary of the accession to the Throne of His Gracious Majesty King George V, and great was the rejoicing of his people. With deep sorrow we now record the death of His Late Majesty. In singular degree he had won the devotion, affection, and respect of all his subjects, and the manifestations of esteem and regard from all parts of the world bear striking tribute to the character of His Late Majesty.

"To King Edward VIII, to Queen Mary, to the Duke and Duchess of York, and to the other members of the Royal Family, sincerest sympathy is extended.

"It is a matter of profound gratitude that His Late Majesty King George V is succeeded by one who in pre-eminent degree has been nurtured and trained for the high position to which he is now called. I feel sure that the same loyalty and devotion which was extended to His Late Majesty will also be extended to King Edward VIII.

"While there has been a steady improvement in business conditions, the international situation is of a very disquieting character. Situated as we are upon this continent, we are indeed fortunate, yet we cannot but view with grave concern world events of so great significance as are now transpiring.

"During the year a Dominion general election took place, and following the election the new Government called a conference of the Dominion and the provinces of Canada to discuss important problems of mutual concern. The agenda covered a wide range of subjects and good progress was made. All of these important matters will be pursued to definite conclusions, and it is confidently felt that it will result in placing the provinces and the Dominion as a whole in more favorable position to efficaciously function in their respective spheres.

"In every branch of the Provincial service during the past year there has been exceptional activity in a great variety of endeavor. Not only have the various departments met immediate matters in hand to the full extent of resources available, but the closet and most intimate study has been made of problems confronting us looking to future action. In respect of some of these matters legislation will be submitted for your consideration at the present session, but in respect of others it is thought that it will be desirable to call a session of the Legislature in the Fall, when further information will be available which will ensure the formulation of measures to best advantage, including measures to improve the position of the municipalities.

"Reports of the various departments of my Government will be laid before you. The public accounts and estimates for the year will also be submitted for your consideration.

"In leaving you to your duties, I do so with confidence that you will meet them faithfully. May Divine Providence guide you in your deliberations."

CONDOLENCE AND LOYALTY

Formal resolutions expressing the sincere regret of the Legislature at the death of King George, and assuring his successor, King Edward VIII, of loyalty and devotion, were couched in the following terms:

"That a humble address be presented to His Gracious Majesty King Edward VIII, in the following words:

"To the King's Most Excellent Majesty, Most Gracious Sovereign:

"We, Your Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the members of the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, in Parliament assembled, humbly approach Your Majesty with sentiments of profound sorrow at the death of our late revered Sovereign, King George V, and beg to extend to Your Majesty sincere sympathy in your bereavement, which we share most deeply with Your Majesty, Queen Mary, the Duke and Duchess of York, and the other members of the Royal Family.

"We rejoice in the accession of Your Majesty to the throne. We are deeply appreciative of Your Majesty's intimate knowledge of the varied problems, aims and high resolves of the many peoples and countries within the British Commonwealth of Nations and the Empire. Under Your Majesty's guidance and reign, we look with confidence and faith towards the future, and beg to assure Your Majesty of our loyalty and devotion."

TO QUEEN MARY

The second resolution read:

"That the following message of condolence be sent to Her Majesty Queen Mary:

"Your Majesty: We, the members of the Legislature of British Columbia, respectfully tender to Your Majesty our heartfelt sympathy in your great sorrow and bereavement. On behalf of the people of this Province of British Columbia, who share your grief and bereavement, may we assure Your Majesty of the deep regard and affection which Your Majesty inspired as consort and helpmeet of our late beloved Sovereign, King George V."

STANDING TRIBUTE

Both resolutions were passed by a standing, silent tribute.

The filing of routine departmental reports for the fiscal year commencing March 31, 1934, concluded the actual business of the day. Premier Pattullo moved adjournment until 2.30 p.m. today, when Mrs. Paul Smith (Liberal, Burrard) and Edward T. Kenney (Liberal, Skeena) will move and second the Address in Reply.

Tomorrow, Attorney-General Sloan will leave for the East to take part in adjourned committee sessions on proposed changes in the British North America Act. He will be followed at the close of this session by Premier Pattullo and possibly some other members of the Cabinet, watching financial and other negotiations on the Federal scene.

Burmese Girls Pray for Late King



Business in Burma Was at a Standstill in Sympathy With the Empire-Wide Mourning That Was Observed on the Occasion of the Funeral of His Majesty King George V. This Picture, Just Received From Burma, Shows Burmese Schoolgirls Praying on the Pagoda Platform With Flowers for the Late King.

ETHIOPIANS IN OFFENSIVE

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exploding Italian bombs and powder stores, the village was completely razed, it was stated.

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SHORT OF OBJECTIVE

ROME, Feb. 25 (Æ).—Despite foreign reports to the contrary, Marshal Pietro Badoglio's armies are still sixteen miles short of Mount Alaji, the next important Italian objective on the Northern front, it was semi-officially announced here tonight.

The newspaper Giornale d'Italia said it was authorized to state that the first army corps—farthest advanced of all Italian forces in Northern Ethiopia—had penetrated only to Mount Aderat, which it described as "an important position dominating the zone to the south."

A War Office communique, which declared Marshal Badoglio's trimotor Capronis had bombed Ethiopian detachments south of Mount Alaji, prompted belief, however, that a mass land and air attack on Mount Alaji could be expected shortly.

Authorities continued to deny Ethiopian claims that Ras Imru had won a series of victories in the sector near Aksum and Aduwa.

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NOT DROPPING PROTEST

ROME, Feb. 25 (AP).—Italy informed Great Britain today she refuses to drop her protest against the five-power Mediterranean defensive pact created among sanctionist nations.

In a note given the Foreign Office in London by Dino Grandi, the Italian Ambassador, Italy said she reserved the "right to bring up the question in the place and at the moment it believes most opportune."

(In a reply to Italy's protest over the defensive agreement, the British Foreign Office notified Rome, February 17, that the British Government "does not feel any useful purpose would be served" by prolonging correspondence on the matter.)

Italy persisted in the attitude that Great Britain's action of securing agreements of aid from France, Greece, Turkey and Jugoslavia, in event of any unprovoked Mediterranean attack, was a personal one, outside Geneva, and not in conformity with the League of Nations.

Praise Japanese People for Their General Courtesy

Returning from an extended tour of Japan, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Neave, of Kyuquot, at the Strathcona Hotel yesterday spoke in high praise of the courtesy shown them by the Japanese. They also told of finding marked efficiency and cleanliness on every hand throughout the country.

Costs in Japan were exceedingly low, they said. Bicycles of good quality cost $5, and everything seemed to be priced accordingly.

Too, they were impressed with the military strength, and saw it demonstrated in a great display, but Mr. and Mrs. Neave heard little talk of possible trouble between Japan and Russia. The better class Japanese ridicuied talk of a possible war with the United States, pointing to the great distance between the two countries, they said.

Came for Four-Day Visit and Remained Here Four Months

"I came to Victoria last Spring with the intention of staying four days. I stayed four months. That is how much I think of the city. It is certainly enjoyable here," stated Tindal King, Hongkong merchant, at the Empress Hotel last night. After a year's holiday, Mr. King is en route to the Orient, leaving today aboard the Ms. Niagara for Honolulu.

San Diego Fair Reopens



—Central Press Photo.

Thousands of persons attended the reopening of the California-Pacific International Exposition at San Diego, on Lincoln's Birthday, and marveled at the installation for the 1936 season of many new exhibits. Photo shows the famed Balboa Tower, which maintained guard over the first San Diego fair in 1915. The 1936 season will close September 9.

Puts His Prize Peacock in Peril

TULSA, Okla., Feb. 25 (Æ).—Hugh Davis, zoo director, is keeping a weather eye on the crocodiles and alligators these days. He's afraid they will "come to life" suddenly and feast on his prize peacock.

The peacock was placed in the cage where the reptiles are sleeping for the Winter. It has an injured foot and none of the brid houses are big enough for it.

GOLD RUSH TO EAST KOOTENAY

Rich Discovery Reported in Flathead District—Claims Recorded at Cranbrook

CRANBROOK, B.C., Feb. 25 (Æ).—Coarse gold—in veins an inch wide—has been discovered in the Flathead district in the extreme southeast of British Columbia, hardy prospectors reported here tonight, as they hastened into Cranbrook to record their claims.

Despite the extreme cold weather of the last month, lively staking activity has been going on in the district for the last ten days. The scene of the rich finds is Grizzly Gulch, a tributary of Akamina Creek. It is in the Rocky Mountain Range just north of the international line and just west of the Alberta-British Columbia boundary.

MAJOR RUSH EXPECTED

Traveling through the Waterton National Park in Southwestern Alberta, many locaters have scrambled into the Flathead country and come out to record. Many were heading toward Grizzly Gulch, but the gold rush was only miniature. With warm weather some expect it will develop into a major rush.

The old-time prospector was in his glory too. The Flathead district is rough, and airplanes—chief assistants of modern gold hunters—are of little use. Mountain peaks surround the gold find scene and places for an airplane to land are scarce.

SUGGEST NEW NAVAL PACTS

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the existing difficulties between them could be ironed out and also that they could convince the Italians to drop their demand for withdrawal of the British fleet from the Mediterranean and the lifting of sanctions as the price for signing an agreement.

TAKE NEW HOPE

So strongly did the French insist that they could swing the Italians into a four-power agreement that the British took new hope that the powers could get together at the present conference. British leaders, however, did not indicate whether the French proposals are acceptable.

The Anglo-German-American proposal is still being pushed, but it is understood the United States has not yet intimated its reaction.

Anthony Eden, Foreign Secretary, while lunching with Dino Grandi, the Italian Ambassador, took up political aspects of the naval treaty, including questions concerning the Italo-Ethiopian war, it was reported.

Later, before the House of Commons, Eden parried a cross-fire of questions from members on progress of the naval conference. He declared it was impossible to forecast the duration of the parley and asked that he be not pressed as to details on the conference's exact position.

SUNSHINE INN IS INCORPORATED

Is Set Up as Separate Organization From Victoria Foundation—Trustees Named

Sunshine Inn has been incorporated on the British Columbia Societies Act as a separate organization from the proposed Victoria Foundation, which will be formed under a special charter to be ratified by the Provincial Legislature.

The trustees of Sunshine Inn Incorporated is listed on the articles of the organization as follows: F. E. Winslow, E. W. McMullen, R. H. Brackman Ker, Mayor David Leeming, G. A. A. Hebden, Colonel F. A. Lindsay and Captain Burges G. Gadsen, manager.

Its aims are listed thus:

"To promote the moral and physical welfare of needy people by providing meals of nourishing food to be eaten on the premises of the society, and to promote objects of a charitable character."

WOMEN VOTERS' AGE OF NO IMPORTANCE

BOSTON, Feb. 25 (Æ).—Massachusetts would chivalrously refrain from asking voters their exact ages under the terms of a bill proposed by State Representative John Wenzler. Wenzler said today, "It should be sufficient for women to say they are twenty-one. It is just one of their peculiarities to which they have a right."



YOUNG ARTISTS ARE APPLAUDED

Misses Violet and Geraldine Paget-Mellor Make Concert Debut Here

Two gifted young pianists, Violet and Geraldine Paget-Mellor, who are to leave in the near future for London, England, to continue their studies with scholarships won during the past year, were heard in joint recital at the Empress Hotel last evening, assisted by a popular Seattle singer, Mme. Ve Ona Socolofsky, dramatic soprano. It was an altogether charming event, and the audience, while not large, showed unalloyed pleasure in the occasion.

Still in their middle 'teens, the pianists combine the charm of a refreshing and unspoiled youthfulness with real poise and charm, both in their stage presence and in their playing. To the latter each brings an already individual quality, a distinctive vitality; the elder, Violet, being the more brilliant, and the younger, Geraldine, having qualities already apparent. In their ensemble work, nevertheless, they are very happy, the mutuality of feeling, tempo, touch, and sentiment, so often noticeable where members of a family work together, showing itself consistently. One feels that in this field there are great opportunities for them. Their sincere studentship is very obvious, and there is a background of intelligence, sensitiveness and artistic good taste that should prove of great help in their future studies.

Their numbers were as follows:

Two-piano, "Sicilienne" (Bach); last movements (larghetto and allegretto) from the Mozart "Concerto in D, No. 20," the soloist being Violet; and the largo Rondo allegro Sharsando movements from Beethoven's "Concerto in C, Op. 15, No. 1," the soloist being Geraldine.

Geraldine's solo numbers were "Chaconne" (Handel), "Nocturne, Op. 10, No. 1" (Tschaikowsky), John Ireland's "Holy Boy," and Schytte's allegro. Violet's solo numbers were Chopin "Prelude, Op. 28, No. 1"; Schumann "Novelet," Debussy's "Bruyeres" and Gardiner's "Noel."

Mme. Socolofsky is an experienced concertist with a dramatic soprano of brilliant texture, which she uses with skill, artistry and pleasing variety of tone. Her groups included the big Massenet number "Air de Salome" from "Herodiade," Haydn's "She Never Told Her Love," Brahms' "Vergeblichas Standchen" and two old folk-songs, Mrs. C. C. Warn proving an able accompanist.

SAYS PARTY RESPONSIBLE

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erals to constantly keep original policies of legislators before their minds.

Legislators when elected failed to realize the power of public opinion was the final essence of longevity as far as any government was concerned, Dr. McDougall remarked. He said errors in the judgment of human nature were often responsible for government mistakes.

Claiming that Liberalism in British Columbia needed resuscitation, he thought it well to consider tomorrow and not forget the errors of today, nor what had gone on in the past. He regretted that so many sons and grandsons of pioneers of the Province wanted to throw all traditions behind them and grasp at anything new and untried.

Dr. McDougall told the audience he was a firm believer in nationalization of currency, for money was to national life what a bloodstream was to a human body.

FILLED WITH KINDNESS

Referring to a new organizer for the Liberal Party, he said the position should be filled by a man or men filled with the milk of human kindness and with the ability to meet men and women on a common ground. He thought such an organizer should be able to say "no" or "yes" and really mean it, and should be clothed in broad authority and full of courage.

Asked if he favored an immediate convention of the Liberal Party in the Province, Dr. McDougall thought such a gathering would be the simplist way to iron out differences in the party.

He was tendered a hearty vote of thanks by Dr. Hugh Clarke, president of Ward Two Liberal Association. C. J. McDowell gave a brief outline of several matters which will engage the Legislative Assembly here.

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LAST HONORS PAID TO ISLAND VETERAN

LADYSMITH, Feb. 25.—The funeral of Joseph Celle, who was fatally injured last Wednesday by a freight train at Kamloops, was held here yesterday.

Mr. Celle spent his boyhood in Wellington and later moved to Ladysmith with his parents, where he resided for many years. He served overseas with the 13th Field Ambulance and won the Military Medal.

The remains were brought to Ladysmith for interment in the family plot here, and Rev. Father McLellan conducted the service at the Catholic Church. Members of the local unit of the Army and Navy Veterans formed a guard of honor.

He is survived by his mother, his wife, five brothers, Mike of Ladysmith, Peter of Vancouver, Victor of Victoria, Louis of Seattle, and Joim of Trail, and a sister, Mrs. C. H. Inkster, of Vancouver.

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Operating Surplus And Gross Deficit Visible in Account

Relief Has Been Outstanding Cost Unbudgeted in Provincial Finances in Recent Years—Revenues Returning; Expenditures Still Lead

BRITISH Columbia went behind in its bookkeeping between $6,000,000 and $7,000,000 in the fiscal year ending March 31, 1935, a year ago. According to public accounts introduced in the Legislature yesterday by Hon. John Hart, the year ended with a nominal surplus of $1,164,176, on income account; but this was exclusive of unbudgeted items approximating $5,000,000 for relief, $2,000,000 in non-allocation of sinking funds, and other items.

The report for the fiscal year 1934-35 is a prelude to the coming budget, in which official explanation of more recent financing will be introduced. It is unofficially understood, meanwhile, that the Province owes the approximate equivalent of a year's income to Ottawa; has an unavoidable further net deficit of some millions to report for the fiscal year 1935-36; and must receive new Federal aid before its own position is even moderately clarified.

REVENUES IMPROVING

As an unofficial report on the Province's operation in the twelve-month period between one and two years ago, the public accounts for 1934-35 report total actual revenues of $22,761,719, nearly $3,000,000 more than estimated. Total expenditures "chargeable to income" were $21,597,543. This produced a surplus on income account of $1,164,176.

Collections in the Department of Finance were $14,105,406, or $2,400,000 better than expected; in the Attorney-General's Department, $5,293,216, or $1,000,000 more than anticipated; but were down in the Department of Lands by some $300,000. Provincial revenues reached their lowest in 1933-34 when they were $20,206,859, and have been recovering steadily since.

EXPENDITURES

On the expenditure side, among items budgeted in 1934-35 were public debt, $6,884,713; Agriculture, $283,277; Attorney-General's branch, $1,320,924; Education, $3,388,136; Finance, $1,509,973; Labor, $532,586; Lands, $1,014,163; Mines, $159,600; Provincial Secretary's branch, $2,813,173; Public Works, $1,948,722; and other items. In Works, Mines and Labor, the votes were underexpended.

Of $2,567,248 due during that year in sinking fund payments, $224,052 was allocated. Capital outlays also included $352,000 for debenture redemption, $915,906 on P.G.E. guaranteed debt, and other items, for a total of $1,510,259 on capital account.

Statutory expenditures, mostly for relief, totaled $6,780,324.

RELIEF OUTLAYS

Relief accounts closed at March 31, 1935, included $6,301,648 appropriated under various statutes, of which $5,906,656 was expended. The Dominion contributed $2,300,196, leaving $4,622,709 found by the Province for relief in British Columbia provincial and municipal areas under various headings. Supervision took $188,393, and public health $176,082. Relief works were listed at $846,423, and advances to municipalities $337,521.

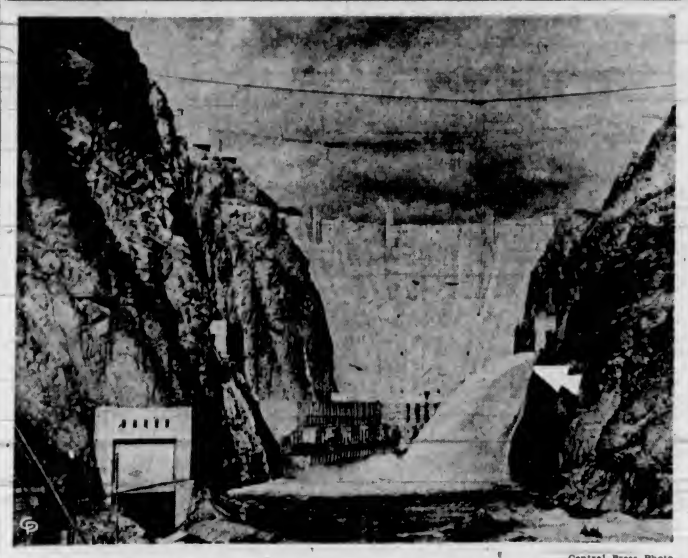
The debenture and other security debt of the Province as at March 31, 1935, included $127,311,236 in stock and debentures, $15,014,234 in treasury bills then owing to the Dominion, and $5,810,906 in treasury bills then owing to banks, for a total of $148,136,377.

DIFFICULT PROBLEMS

Since that year, however, the Province has been twice assisted with Federal grants to meet maturing obligations, transferring existing debt to an unfunded total; has borrowed $1,000,000 on account of the Fraser River toll bridge; and $2,000,000 further for road expenditures in excess of normal yearly programmes, part of which was used in municipal aid at the time. Sinking funds, meanwhile, have been kept up on inscribed stock in London, but not on the major portion of the present fixed debt of the Province.

Many involuntary factors go into the reckoning, such as no ministry could have avoided or altered, under all the circumstances.

First Test of Boulder Dam Outlets



—Central Press Photo.

Flowing at the rate of 7,480 gallons a second, a spectacular stream of Colorado River water is pictured pouring from an outlet in the Arizona side of the canyon wall at Boulder Dam, as first tests are made of the outlet valves. Six valves on each side of the canyon provide means of releasing water from the vast Boulder reservoir at times when power plant machinery is not utilizing the flow to generate electricity. Arrow shows the test stream.

EXPLAINS NEED FOR CAMPAIGN

Preventive Work Carried Out by Children's Aid Society Requires Fund

The reason why the Children's Aid Society is appealing for funds, when already in receipt of payments from the Provincial Government and municipal governments, is because these payments only meet the cost of maintaining children in homes, a member of the society stated yesterday.

"We consider that every child has the right to a good home; his own, if possible. In investigating every complaint, our aim is to improve the conditions in the home that it will not be necessary to remove the children, because we believe that the natural home, even of low standard, may have more to give the particular children in it, than any foster home can possibly offer," the member said, explaining that funds were necessary to carry on social welfare work.

"Only after all efforts to improve the conditions have proved unavailing do we consider taking the child into custody," he asserted.

PREVENTIVE WORK

"Our preventive work and the amount of service we can give in this department, is entirely dependent upon the financial support we receive from voluntary contributions. There is no charge against the Provincial or municipal governments for the great bulk of investigation, either of complaints received or in connection with legal adoptions, nor for a particular service to unmarried mothers, and much else which is included in the work of a Children's Aid Society.

"There are often cases in which the cost to the state of permanent guardianship may be saved, by giving temporary care, to tide over, without having a child legally committed. As the cost to the community of raising a dependent child is estimated at $4,000, the money saving value of preventive work, quite apart from the social value, need not be stressed," he concluded.

Cheques should be made payable to the treasurer, Children's Aid Society, and sent to the office of the society, 1234 Pandora Avenue.

TRADE AGREEMENT IS INTRODUCED IN HOUSE

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a wide range of appropriations for national defence, Indian affairs and external affairs.

Although various Governments have negotiated reciprocity treaties with Washington and approached American Governments unsuccessfully, it has been seventy years since the last agreement expired.

DEPENDENT ON TRADE

The Prime Minister reiterated his belief that Canada could emerge from the depression only by increasing trade. "Depression," he said, "means nothing more nor less than the absence of trade and the reverse is equally true—trade, plenty of trade, means the end of depression."

Tracing the history of reciprocity negotiations, Mr. King said: "If this agreement is not entered into at this time we may be sure, as sure as night follows day, that in the course of a very short time the opportunities which exist today for favorable trading will be made more difficult so far as the United States is concerned.

"It has happened at all times that where advantage has not been taken of a favorable opportunity, the reaction has set in and the other extreme has been encountered."

CHARGES TIME WASTED

The Prime Minister accused the Conservative leader of wasting valuable time in his negotiations with Washington. "If this agreement is not more favorable than it is, one of the reasons is the fact the leader of the Opposition did not seize the earliest opportunity to make an agreement and he allowed one year after another to go by." Later the Prime Minister said Mr. Bennett evidently was not anxious to effect an agreement.

One of the reasons the treaty was limited in scope was the Canada-United Kingdom agreement with its provisions for pegged tariffs, Mr. King said. This treaty, which the Liberals criticized when it was first introduced in 1932, precluded the Government from negotiating for better terms for coal, corn, canned fruit, currants, raisins and other commodities.

EACH HELPS OTHER

Neither Canada nor the United States had tried to out-smart the other in negotiations, Mr. King said. Each had made a sincere effort to help the other and improve mutual trade.

"We believe what has been done here is a step in the right direction, which, during the next three years, will prove its wisdom so conclusively that when that period has expired not only will the agreement be continued indefinitely but it will be materially expanded to the mutual advantage of both countries."

The Prime Minister outlined the features of the treaty, stressing the millions of dollars in trade that would be affected. Canada's intermediate tariff was extended to the United States, but, he said, this did not bind Parliament's hands to change the rates if any industry was found to be prejudiced

EXPORT TRADE IS NECESSITY

Success of Cold Storage Plant Rests Upon Shipments, Manager Says

Success will come to the Victoria Cold Storage & Terminal Warehouse Co., Ltd., only through development of export business, Duncan MacBride, manager of the industry, told members of Credit Granters' Association of Victoria during a luncheon meeting in Spencer's dining-room yesterday.

Local demands for products stored in the plant were not large, Mr. MacBride stated. He told how the preference of three cents per pound on salmon shipped to the United Kingdom, and the high quality of the dressed fish, helped to create a large demand for Vancouver Island salmon. Because British Columbia apples were favored by the Orient, he predicted a profitable market in the future.

PROCESS DESCRIBED

Rapid freezing of fish which preserved all the natural flavor was described by Mr. MacBride. In the usual thirty to thirty-six-hour freezing process, cell membranes of the fish were ruptured, and when the fish thawed out most of the natural juices escaped. He believed there would be a large call for packets of fish done up with the new process. It also saved about 50 per cent of the freight charges because the fish were filleted before being packed.

Steaks and cuts of meat were being put up with the new process in the United States and distributed from central storage plants, he said.

During 1933, Canadians consumed 1,463,000,000 pounds of meat, Mr. MacBride told the audience. Food consumption included fifty pounds of beef per head, 74.38 pounds of pork, 6.32 pounds of mutton and lamb, 10.68 pounds of butter, 30.04 pounds of cheese, 21.45 dozen eggs, and only eighteen pounds of fish. He believed fish consumption was low because the bulk of the population was unable to receive fresh fish.

REFRIGERATION VALUE

Importance of refrigeration to bakeries, breweries, dairies, lard refineries, furriers, oil refineries, hospitals, mortuaries, chemical industries and steel works for air conditions was described by Mr. MacBride.

Replying to a question from George Robinson, Mr. MacBride said it would be quite possible to utilize the cold storage plant to supply refrigeration to a skating rink, providing the rink was not more than 1,000 yards from the plant. After that distance, the expense of the special pipe line required would be extremely high, he declared.

Charles G. Banner, president of the Credit Granters' Association, tendered Mr. MacBride a hearty vote of thanks.

Mrs. M. A. Shepherd Dies at Ripe Age

There passed away yesterday, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. A. E. Humphries, 948 Pandora Avenue, Mrs. Mary Ann Shepherd, in her eighty-eighth year.

She is survived by three sons and five daughters, Robert, of Toronto; Alfred, of Birtle, Man.; William E., of Victoria; Mrs. A. E. Humphries, of Victoria, with whom she had resided for the past fourteen years; Mrs. W. J. Watson, of California; Mrs. Fred Calverly, of Glenboro, Man.; Mrs. R. Marsh, of Nipawin, Sask., and Mrs. F. Farough, of Elgin, Man.; also thirty-five grandchildren and twenty-two great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Shepherd was born on February 14, 1849, in the Province of Quebec, came to Glenboro, Man., with her family, in 1889, where she was one of the pioneers of the district, later moving to Tresbank, Man. She came to Victoria in 1921. She was predeceased by her husband, J. O. Shepherd, in 1922.

The remains are resting at the Thomson Funeral Home, where the funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon at 2:30. Interment will be made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery

FREIGHT RATES BILL DROPPED

British Columbia Members Clash at Ottawa—Cabinet Action Promised

OTTAWA, Feb. 25 (C.P.)—British Columbia members clashed tonight on the question of freight rates on grain moving from the Prairies to the Pacific Coast as Thomas Reid's bill to reduce the rates was voted down in the House of Commons.

Mr. Reid, Liberal member for New Westminster, argued with Harry Barber (Con., Fraser Valley) as to who had done most to obtain lower freight rates and agreed to withdraw his bill at the suggestion of Hon. C. D. Howe, Minister of Railways and Canals.

Mr. Barber, however, objected and as a member must have the unanimous consent of the House to withdraw a bill the vote had to be taken. It was not recorded, but the bill was defeated on second reading.

PROMISES EARLY ACTION

The question was before the Governor-in-Council by way of appeal from the Board of Railway Commissioners. Mr. Howe told the House. He assured Mr. Reid that a decision would be given at the earliest possible moment and asked for withdrawal of the bill.

All parties in British Columbia had fought for lower freight rates, said Mr. Barber, and Mr. Reid deserved no exclusive credit for carrying on the fight. The people of British Columbia wanted action and would not be satisfied with withdrawal of the bill.

All domestic rates on grain should be reduced, said G. W. McDonald (Liberal, Souris). The Prairie Provinces suffered from high rates as well as British Columbia and he thought the Government should give some assurance of action on freight rates before the bill was withdrawn.

In agreeing to withdraw Mr. Reid said he wished to warn the Government that if something was not done he would continue the fight. He said he withdrew the bill because he wanted to get results and was not interested in political advantage.

Mr. Barber had done nothing to help in the fight for lower rates, Mr. Reid charged. He had sought to make the issue a political one and went about British Columbia claiming the Liberals were opposed to lower rates.

WORD PUZZLES AGAINST LAW

Fine of $100 Imposed by Magistrate Jay Upon Company Operating Contrary to Act

Pleading guilty through its counsel, Stuart Henderson, of having violated the amended Lottery Act, the British Enter-Prizes, Ltd., was fined $100 in the city police court yesterday morning by Magistrate Jay.

In view of the fact that this was the first case to come before him under the amended act of last session of the Dominion Parliament, the magistrate said he would make the fine light. The order carries also confiscation of the material found in the office of the accused company, which includes about $17 in cash.

Mr. Henderson elected summary trial before the magistrate and then immediately entered a plea of guilty. The charge was one of having conducted a scheme to decide how money prizes were to be disposed of in connection with crossword puzzle contests.

Inspector John T. Boulton told of the working of the scheme. The limit allowed in the entries was eight completed cards or four different sets of words, but there were more than this number in many instances of alternative words that could be used, so that no one was assured of winning.

Mr. Henderson pointed out that the offence fell under amendments which were passed last session so that the sections were very new ones and had a very wide application and he was advising the company to go out of business.

Moose Women Will Hold Whist Parties

With Senior Regent E. Jane presiding, the Victoria Chapter No. 25, Women of the Moose, held its social meeting on Monday evening. The sick matron, Mrs. R. Panting, reported Mrs. T. Alexander and Mrs. E. Clark still ill.

Committee reports were given. Mrs. H. Parker reported on the sewing bee held at her home last week when five pairs of slippers were finished, to be given to the child care and training chairman. Members were asked to bring small pieces of cloth for making of a patchwork quilt. Mrs. O. Randy reported having started making toys from pieces of cloth, and as social convener, also reported on the Valentine tea held at the home of Senior Regent E. Jane, recently.

It was decided to hold a telephone whist drive during the next week. The hostesses will be Mrs. A. Hatcher and Mrs. O. Randy, Mrs. M. Morry, Mrs. P. Huckin, Mrs. M. Carter, Mrs. E. Jane and Mrs. P. Panting, Miss D. Guelpa and Mrs. N. Augustine, who will hold their party at the home of Miss D. Guelpa, 2540 Fernwood Road, on Saturday evening, March 7. Hostesses are requested to notify the social convener at least two days before the events.

Discussion for celebrating the chapter's anniversary followed, and definite plans will be made at the next meeting. The fifth annual banquet of Maple Leaf Legion No. 53 and Loyal Order of Moose, No. 1390 will be held at the Douglas Hotel on Saturday, March 21. Supper will be at 7 p.m., and dancing will follow at 9 o'clock; tickets may be obtained from the recorder, Mrs. H. Parker. A sewing bee will be held at the home of Mrs. C. Drysdale, 2522 Victor Street, also a card party at the home of Mrs. N. Augustine, 503 Esquimalt Road, following the next meeting. After the meeting an enjoyable 500 card party was held by Maple Leaf Legion No. 53.

RECOVERING IN HOSPITAL

QUATSINO, Feb. 21 (By Mail).—Torlief Wold, Quatsino's "jinx boy," is in the Port Alice Hospital again. He is now recovering from an appendicitis operation. He was rushed to the hospital on Saturday morning and was operated on immediately. Dr. Lawson, of the Port Alice Hospital, reports that he is doing very nicely.

WILL CONSIDER THREE MATTERS

Civic Finance Committee Has Busy Day—Outside Audit Issue to Be Discussed

Today will be a busy one for the finance committee of the City Council, which has three separate meetings scheduled. The first will be held at 2 o'clock, when the committee will meet the school board to discuss the 1936 budget.

The second meeting is expected to take place at 3 o'clock when the chapter's anniversary followed, and definite plans will be made at the next meeting. The fifth annual banquet of Maple Leaf Legion No. 53 and Loyal Order of Moose, No. 1390 will be held at the Douglas Hotel on Saturday, March 21. Supper will be at 7 p.m., and dancing will follow at 9 o'clock; tickets may be obtained from the recorder, Mrs. H. Parker. A sewing bee will be held at the home of Mrs. C. Drysdale, 2522 Victor Street, also a card party at the home of Mrs. N. Augustine, 503 Esquimalt Road, following the next meeting. After the meeting an enjoyable 500 card party was held by Maple Leaf Legion No. 53.

At 3:30 o'clock, the committee is expected to discuss matters pertaining to promotions in the service in the city comptroller's department.

Tax Rolls Drop To River Bottom

CHANDOS, Ont., Feb. 25 (C.P.)—Tax rolls of this township for three years lay at the bottom of Deer River today, and officials prepared to fish the stream for them.

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C.N.R. FINANCES

The Canadian National Railways have a director of the Bureau of Economics in the person of Mr. S. W. Fairweather, and he has been answering what he calls some misconceptions about the state-owned transportation company. A fundamental misconception, according to him, is that of comparing the C.N.R. system to a normal railway system under private ownership which is operated for private gain. He describes the C.N.R. as a public service corporation that was never designed to operate at a profit. If, he says, the C.N.R. were run as a private business it would be able to regard $1,800,000,000 of its liability "as Canada's second National Debt." That amount would be non-existent as a liability of the C.N.R. inasmuch as it is money owed to the nation which could be written off as a bad debt could be.

It is not easy to follow the line of Mr. Fairweather's argument. Having theoretically reduced the C.N.R. debt by $1,800,000,000 by a stroke of the imagination, he sets against "the remainder of the liabilities of the C.N.R. a sum of $1,300,000,000, the value of the property." In the minds of the public, however, the $1,800,000,000, as well, must be regarded as a liability, so that it is against a sum of $3,100,000,000 that the value of the property must be placed, if Mr. Fairweather's figures are correct.

Mr. Fairweather does not see anything alarming in the company's annual losses. He says: "The Canadian National Railways, from 1923 until well on into the depression in 1931, paid all its wages and materials on operating account, taxes and all items of expense, except interest on invested capital . . . and had left over something as a return on the property investment. During the worst of the depression years, 1931, 1932 and 1933, the property just missed doing this, but did provide more than sufficient to meet all its cash expenses except interest. In 1934, a slight return on invested account resulted from the improvement in business conditions, and the 1935 return is again somewhat better."

In all appraisements of the position of the C.N.R. there is no escaping its liability to meet the interest on the capital investment. It is because it does not meet that interest, or the interest on the numerous loans negotiated on its behalf from time to time, that the taxpayers of the country are mulcted something like $85,000,000 annually for their enjoyment of the privileges of state-ownership. There is cash liability coming around inevitably each year which the taxpayers have to meet. It is quite true that the C.N.R. is a public service corporation, and not operated for profit, as Mr. Fairweather says. That might well imply that the shareholders are not entitled to any return on the capital they have invested. The Government, however, recognizes that such a return is an obligation, and so the taxpayers' money is used for the purpose.

Mr. Fairweather has not presented the whole story. He winds up his effort at defence by saying that once the annual cash deficit on the operation of the C.N.R.—last year a sum of $48,406,000—is wiped out and that organization is able to meet its interest payments to the public, "there is nothing more to be added." It is impossible to agree with Mr. Fairweather's "nothing." "Nothing," says The Montreal Star, "with the exception of the many more millions added to the nation's debt in defaulted interest upon loans advanced to the railway out of the public funds, and, therefore, money of the people of Canada, money they have put up and on which they are entitled to get interest which they never will get this side of Jordan."

MOUNT EVEREST EXPEDITION

The latest Mount Everest Expedition will set out from Kalimpong about March 12, headed by Mr. Hugh Ruttledge, who led the 1933 expedition to within 1,000 feet of the summit. The expedition this time is unusually strong and has excellent prospects of success, as nine of the twelve members have had experience of Everest. Improved oxygen apparatus is being carried. Like previous expeditions, what can be accomplished will depend to a great extent on weather conditions. The actual assault on the summit will be made between May 20 and June 10, and, speaking of the prospects, Mr. Ruttledge said in an interview before sailing for India:

"I think we undoubtedly have a better chance than previous expeditions, for science has been able to come to our assistance in greater measure than on other occasions. If we succeed we shall stay on top of the world for only a few minutes, for the cold is too intense for the human body to stand it any longer. If we reach the summit we shall probably place a Union Jack there, but I cannot be sure of that, for the last climb is so arduous that we must travel as light as possible."

EXTRAVAGANT LANGUAGE

The Ottawa Journal points to a modern failing pertaining to both conversational and platform speech in the use of extravagant language. It quotes a specific instance of this in a lecture by a university professor arguing in favor of the League of Nations, when he said: "The alternative to the League is war, armaments and international anarchy." If those who are responsible for the higher branches of education engage in what The Journal calls "a brand of fustian which is little short of nauseating," it is hardly to be wondered at that exaggeration should have crept to such a degree into ordinary speech. There is no other way of accounting for it save setting it down to an educational system which, in that respect, is faulty and in which some of those who are looked to as mentors are the worst offenders.

Commenting on the statement by the professor alluded to that "international anarchy" would develop if there was no more League of Nations, The Journal says: "To argue that the League, and only the League, can save us, and that anything else must submerge us, is to argue ignorance. It is to argue that by merely removing a few officials and politicians from Geneva, all of humankind will be turned suddenly into beasts, go back to the law of the jungle." The Journal is correct. The latter-day prophets and teachers are given to hyperbole and absurd adjectives, used entirely out of place. They seem to be people laboring sadly under the spell of obsessions and are those who fail to judge the progress of the human race in terms of experience. What the world wants more than anything else is a better balance in mentality. In other words, it wants more sanity. It wants the language of common sense in the appraisement of anything and everything.

GREAT BRITAIN AND EGYPT

There are negotiations now in progress between Great Britain and the new Egyptian Government for a new treaty. The recent riots in Cairo and elsewhere in Egypt led to the formation of a Government under Ali Pasha Maher and the appointment of an Egyptian delegation to open conversations with Sir Miles Lampson, the High Commissioner. The first matter being discussed is the future military arrangements which will form the backbone of the treaty. Other matters which will come up, and upon which some hard and fast agreement will be reached, are Imperial communications, which include the Suez Canal, the protection of foreign interests, which includes minorities, and the Soudan. The prospects are hopeful of an arrangement being reached which will put an end to anti-British demonstrations in Egypt.

The world's record cold, that is on earth's surface, was a temperature of 95 degrees below zero, and this occurred on Mount McKinley in Alaska at an altitude of 15,000 feet. At Verkhoyansk, in Siberia, the thermometer has sunk as low as 92 degrees below zero. The latter place holds the record for a mean temperature, having recorded an average of 59 degrees below zero for a month. One of the lowest temperatures ever recorded was at Fort Reliance, near Dawson, which had 80 degrees below zero a few years ago, and as low as 76.5 has been recorded at Fort Vermilion, Alberta.

Estimates at Ottawa show that $816 more will be spent this year on the Canadian navy than last year. In this country's estimation there is a trifling addition to the White Man's Burden.

PUCK'S SONG

See you the dimpled track that runs,
All hollow through the wheat?
O that was where they hauled the guns
That smote King Philip's fleet.

See you our little mill that clacks,
So busy by the brook?
She has ground her corn and paid her tax
Ever since Domesday Book.

See you our stilly wood of oak,
And the dread ditch beside?
O that was where the Saxons broke,
On the day that Harold died.

See you the windy levels spread
About the gates of Rye?
O that was where the Northmen fled,
When Alfred's ships came by.

See you our pastures wide and lone,
Where the red oxen browse?
O there was a City thronged and known,
Ere London boasted a house.

And see you, after rain, the trace
Of mound and ditch and wall?
O that was a Legion's camping-place,
When Caesar sailed from Gaul.

And see you the marks that show and fade,
Like shadows on the Downs?
O they are the lines the Flint Men made,
To guard their wondrous towns.

Trackway and Camp and City lost,
Salt Marsh where now is corn;
Old Wars, old Peace, old Arts that cease,
And so was England born!

She is not any common Earth,
Water or wood or air,
But Merlin's Isle of Gramarye,
Where you and I will fare.

—Rudyard Kipling

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7:00 p.m., February 25, 1936.

SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS

The barometer remains high over Northern British Columbia, and unsettled, milder weather has been general on Vancouver Island and the Lower Mainland. Zero temperatures have again been general in the Prairie Provinces.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

(Precipitation for twelve hours to 5:00 p.m.; temperatures for twenty-four hours.)

	Snow	Rain	Min.	Max.
Victoria		.03	26	42
Nanaimo	1.5	--	22	37
Vancouver	1.4	--	24	38
Kamloops	.2	--	6b	10
Prince George	.4		26b	6
Estevan Point	--	.2	26	42
Prince Rupert	--	--	18	30
Atlin	--	--	20b	6
Dawson	--	--	36b	24b
Seattle	--	.06	32	48
Portland	--	.28	34	50
San Francisco	--	--	48	58
Spokane	.1	--	18	30
Los Angeles	--	--	44	62
Penticton	--	--	0	--
Vernon	--	--	2b	--
Grand Forks	2.0	--	6b	16
Nelson	2.0	--	7	20
Kaslo	--	--	2	
Cranbrook	--	--	13b	25
Calgary	--	--	32b	10b
Edmonton	.1	--	26b	8b
Swift Current	--	--	30b	6b
Prince Albert	--	--	10b	2
Saskatoon	--	--	34b	4b
Qu'Appelle	--	--	20b	0
Winnipeg	--	--	8b	2
Moose Jaw	--	--	26b	4b
Monday—				
Toronto	--	--	40	47
Ottawa	--	--	24	40
Montreal	--	--	28	40
Saint John	--	--	16	28
Halifax	--	--	8	24

TUESDAY

Maximum	42
Minimum	26
Average	34
Minimum on the grass	23

Weather, cloudy; rainfall, .03; sunshine, 1 h., 42 m.

5:00 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 29.84; wind, SW., 30 miles; cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.86; wind, SE., 4 miles; fair.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.92; calm; fair.

Prince George—Barometer, 29.98; wind, N., 20 miles; snowing.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.82; wind, SE., 4 miles; fair.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 29.86; wind, NW., 12 miles; cloudy.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.92; wind, W., 18 miles; cloudy.

Portland—Barometer, 30.10; wind, S.W., 10 miles; cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.88; wind, SW., 26 miles; fair.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.36; wind, W., 12 miles; fair.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

Remember, now, I give you timely warning.
Never take the horseshoe from the door.

Dear R.B.D.:

The above words and comment on the singer brings to my mind that in the Summer of 1881, two young fellows arrived in Victoria and boarded in the Commercial Hotel on Douglas Street. One was an Irish American, J. Ross, the other a Yankee, T. Johnstone. Both being good mixers, they soon landed a job in the Albion Iron Works.

Ross being a fine singer soon was in great demand at all kinds of socials. His favorites were old Irish songs, and amongst them was that old song. I remember a couple of stanzas, which ran as follows:

There is a story handed down in Irish history,
Far, far beyond the days of King Boroo.
There is lots of luck awaiting on you
If on the road you find a horse's shoe.

So gather the family round you
Sunday mornings.
And let the babies roll upon the floor.
And I am giving you timely warning,
Never take the horseshoe from the door.

Pleased to see you are a pioneer of Cariboo and Victoria, but can't agree with you that nearly all the pioneers of the province ultimately become pioneers of Victoria, as we have a goodly number of real "old timers" here in Nanaimo, and still going strong.

Sincerely yours,
E.G.C.

I am enjoying your Note and Comment very much, and never miss reading it.

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"Now, see what you have done," writes a reader, by arousing the pleasures of memory and reawakening the emotions created by old songs. We shall have to stem the tide of correspondence or another of our Irish friends will be asking us to print some lines from "I'm Sitting by the Style, Mary," or something equally sentimental and out of tune with the spirit of the times. If we do not stop it, a sentimental Sandy may be demanding the reproduction of a verse or two of "Flow Gently, Sweet Afton," or from "Meet Me at the Lea Rig," and then an aroused Englishman may burst upon us and want to know what is the matter with old English songs, such as "Sally in Our Alley," or "Meet Me, Meet Me in the Evening, When the Bloom Is on the Rye." So we shall have to change the trend of our comment, or the crooners they will get us if we don't watch out.

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Still, we have no regrets for what we have done. We quoted from the story handed down from Irish history because we believed it to be apropos of many modern circumstances. It is pertinent to the circumstances of the League of Nations, it is pertinent to the circumstances of our own Provincial Government, it is pertinent to the circumstances of the Alberta Government, it is pertinent to the circumstances of practically all provincial governments, it is pertinent to the circumstances of the Dominion Government, and it is pertinent to the circumstances of the United States Government. All these governing institutions will need a shower of horseshoes such as may be seen flying through the air in the parks of Hollywood "if they hope to get by."

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We should not be a bit surprised if told that there is a horseshoe nailed over the door of the office of Premier Pattullo. Neither would we be incredulous if told that the Prime Minister of Canada had been caught in the act of surreptitiously hanging a horseshoe over the door of his office in the big buildings on Parliament Hill. Although the correspondents have not written anything about it (and there is so little they have overlooked in connection with the affairs of the Rt. Hon. gentleman) we have no doubt that investigation will reveal the fact that there is a horseshoe decorating the portal of Kingsmere. What about Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett? Well, the circumstances of the lender of the Opposition are peculiar. He has no country residence. Ordinarily he lives in apartments in a public chateau, and in such places a horseshoe over a door might not be regarded as an ornament.

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All the institutions and individuals we have enumerated will need a lot of luck if they are going to get by without having their plumes torn and their ambitions trimmed. It may be argued that beliefs in horseshoes and luck are merely superstitions, which have no place in the philosophy of this enlightened age. There may be other beliefs which are merely superstitions too. There may even be beliefs which are cherished with fanaticism and broadcast with bigotry. Premier Aberhart does not believe in luck. He probably never has thought any good thing could come out of hanging a horseshoe over the door of his political office. He attained office by preaching and prayer. We dare not scoff at Mr. Aberhart for his belief in the efficacy of prayer, although we may entertain some doubts as to the value of preaching as a solution of political and economic problems.

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This modern prophet and his disciples believe that the devil has entered into and taken possession of the body politic and can be cast out only by a miracle. Facts and experience indicate that the age of miracles is past. The Alberta seer and his followers do not believe that. Editors and correspondents may reason with those deluded persons, but the fanatics do not believe their opponents have a peg to hang an argument upon. "They are joined to their idol, let them alone." Aberhartism is not a doctrine. It is a disease, and will run its course and become merely a record of a silly delusion. Of course we may be mistaken, not being a prophet and infallible, but the blind leader of Alberta seems destined to land the province in a ditch, and the Dominion will be lucky if it be not involved in consequential difficulties.

The Observation Car

BY THE EDITORIAL STAFF

Do You Know That

The first baseball game of the season on the continent with a big league team taking part took place in the training camp of the Cincinnati Reds at San Juan, Porto Rico, against a native squad. The game took place last Monday and it was broadcast from Miami, Florida, from reports telephoned across the water from the island. . . . Bolander brothers' basketball team of Baltimore is actually made up of five brothers and they are coached by their father. . . . Canadians smoke about 4,500,000,000 ready-made cigarettes per year (some years more than 5,000,000,000), in addition to the roll-your-owns. The smaller of these figures means approximately 12,500,000 cigarettes consumed in the Dominion every day. . . . Horse racing programmes are held throughout the year at Buenos Aires, capital of the Argentine Republic. . . . It requires 40,000 roses to make one single ounce of perfume. . . . According to life insurance figures, a newly-born baby girl has a life-span expectancy of sixty-two years, while a boy has only fifty-nine. Which is quite all right, for girls always expect more than boys in most cases.—J.D.

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The Coming Athletes

Encouragement in all sports is not needed as much by the senior, or older players, as it is with the youngsters who are just learning games. This holds particularly for soccer, Rugby and basketball. The public schools are the storehouses of future athletic material and it is there that love and knowledge of the game should be inspired. This is done as much as possible by the teachers, but their time is often absorbed with other duties, which prevent them from doing all that they would like. Senior athletes in all sports might pick out schools in their district and visit them, telling and demonstrating the finer points of the game. Light coaching duties of teams might be taken on by the more ambitious and this attention, if given, would undoubtedly benefit Victoria in the future.—J.K.P.

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Or Under the Table

Hank the Philosopher says, "Th' young lady which speaks volumes allus lands on the shelf.—W.I.F.

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Sunday Snow Scenes

Children were not the only ones who enjoyed playing in the snow on Sunday. A young married couple on Elford Street spent nearly all the morning gleefully building a large snow man. . . . Across the street three small children toiled on another snow man. The call to lunch came just as they finished placing bits of coal in its face for eyes. While the tots were dining, three larger girls came along and pelted the effigy. Failing to knock it down, one of them walked up and spitefully kicked its head off. . . . Even Peggy, of McClure Street, enjoyed herself. She was seen engaged in a pitched snowball battle with several youngsters. Peggy exhibits a powerful right and could undoubtedly do havoc with a rolling pin. . . . Further interesting scenes were observed at Finlayson Flats. Several motorists were prevented from turning their machines by deep snowbanks. They ganged up and spun the vehicles around by hand on the slippery road. A baby automobile was picked up bodily by four of them and deposited facing the opposite direction. . . . After reading too many menus with foreign names for simple dishes, a friend came across the following interesting one at a convention of mining men in a small United States town: Splash, cackleberries and grunts, load of culls, moo and murphies, millions on a platter, fish eggs, mud, axle grease, choker, clinkers and mug of murk.—C.B.

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Better Look Into It

A Victoria old-time hockeyist thinks better results would be obtained if the next Canadian squad sent over to the Olympic Games was composed of lawyers instead of ice game artists! I wonder if someone will take this up at the next annual meeting of the C.A.H.A. and see what Messrs. Gilroy, Marples and Company would think about it. If they want the Victorian's name for his suggestion I have it at the office.—J.D.

GOLFER'S LUCKY OMISSION

MUSWELL HILL, England (Reuter).—A borrowed putter played a prominent part in the success of J. J. Taylor (plus 2), the Potters Bar professional, and his amateur partner, D. Landos (12) in the Middlesex Golfing Alliance twenty-seven-hole fourball competition here. Taylor left his own putter at home, but a club on loan served him so well he was able to sink several long putts.

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Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be published except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 500 words in length.

AN ICE ARENA

Sir,—It is now some years since fire destroyed a great asset to Victoria, "the ice rink." I wonder if it's too much to say that in the ice rink days more publicity was given Victoria through this medium than our two publicity bureaus, and at that the taxpayers' cost was considerably less.

Our young people here are missing a very wholesome pleasure and thrilling exercise which only ice skating can give. It's quite natural when we get a few degrees of frost all crowd to the various patches of ice, safe or otherwise. The recent very sad and regrettable fatality forcefully impressed the urgent need for proper accommodation for Winter sports, such as curling and hockey, together with many varied uses of municipal-owned auditorium and sports centre could be put to at all seasons of the year.

I cannot think of any one project that would place Victoria at the top more quickly than such as the above mentioned. The spotlight would be ever on Victoria when once more could be heard the happy shouting crowds at the hockey games, the cheery sound of the granite being swept into position.

The sooner we begin doing things in a big way, forgetting the small circus sideshow performances, the sooner we may hope for better times here. Most people agree Victoria lacks in genuine community spirit, the kind that accomplishes big things. Transportation companies would greatly benefit by such a sports centre and no doubt would be the first to appreciate this fact and from whom generous support could be expected.

Victoria is long past its pioneer days and can ill afford to undertake a project of this nature that would not include both the substantial and artistic thereby adding dignity to the capital of British Columbia.

ALICE MCGREGOR.

1190 Camrose Crescent, Victoria, B.C., February 20, 1936.

Y.M.C.A. CAMPAIGN

Sir,—For the past two years the Young Women's Christian Association has joined with the Young Men's Christian Association in its drive for funds. This year the March campaign will be for the aid of the Young Men's Christian Association only, and in order to avoid misunderstanding, we wish to draw the attention of the public to the fact that the Young Women's Christian Association will, at a later date, put on a separate campaign for funds to carry on the work of its association. ELLA M. ANGUS,

Chairman of Finance, Y.W.C.A.

1383 St. Patrick Street, Victoria, B.C., February 24, 1936.

INADEQUATE POSTAGE

Sir,—The attention of business concerns, professional men and individuals who have been negligent in this matter is respectfully called to the fact that the first class postage rate to Cadboro Bay is three cents, not two cents.

Personally, I have paid postage due of two cents on letters that were of no consequence when opened. One letter I refused I found later to contain a cheque for an account. Just a few days ago I received a letter from the Dominion tax office in the Postoffice Building which cost me two cents.

Every day the Cadboro Bay Postoffice receives many such letters. This is not only a matter of unnecessary expense to recipients, but also a great inconvenience. Frequently children call for mail only to find mail with postage due and must go back home for the money and make an extra trip.

Of course, it is a matter of pure thoughtfulness on the part of senders, but it is so general that I have been prompted to write this letter.

CADBORO BAY GROCERY,
Per S. T. Coats.

Cadboro Bay, B.C., February 22, 1936.

PERJURY CASE

Sir,—In respect of the perjury case pending in the city police court, which comes up next Wednesday morning, I wish to advise the public I am not the man charged, but am of the same name.

SUNDAR SINGH.

Dryland Wood Co.

103 Battleford Avenue, Saanich, B.C., February 24, 1936.

STATE OF SIDEWALKS

Sir,—May I, through your columns, draw attention of those interested in the carrying out of the laws of the city, to the fact that sidewalks are, in a most disgraceful condition as a result of the snow.

We advertise our climate as the best in Canada, golf every day of the year and such like which, in the usual course of events is true, yet when we have a snowfall we permit our property owners and occupiers to leave the sidewalks in a condition that warrants censure upon those who fail in their duties to see that ice and snow, dirt and rubbish is removed and cleared away, as the Municipal Act provides. In the interest of our tourist campaign, why not prevent accidents by having the ice and snow removed. D. H. MacRITCHIE.

1225 Fairfield Road, Victoria, B.C., February 24, 1936.

SELASSIE'S HORSESHOE

Sir,—All our sympathies are with R.B.D. as we see him slumping into despondency in his interesting musings over the "Ethiopian Situation," in Thursday's Colonist, and we even forgive his moody suggestion that small nations should be warned at the portals of the new League of Nations' palace at Geneva by an inscription similar to the legend which Dante, that illustrious antagonist of despots, placed over the entrance to his inferno: "Lasciate Ogni Speranza Voi Chi Entrate," but R.B.D. is mistaken if he believes that a horseshoe over the gate would have biased luck in Selassie's favor.

We still remember the day, some years ago, when a neighbor picked up a horseshoe right in front of his gate, and taking it for a good omen, he promptly nailed it on his gate-post. That very Winter one of his best cows broke a hind leg and had to be shot, while his wife was in hospital for three weeks, and at the end of it came home with twins.

The most dangerous obstacles along the road of human progress are beliefs; the cause of inertia or antagonism.

It was in the very city of Geneva where John Calvin's rhetorical thunder and lightning struck upon blind faith, declaring the way into salvation to be faith coupled with works.

Selassie's faith in the League of Nations should have been supported by a small branch of old Zaharoff's enterprises and he would not now be in danger of losing his throne and make that gorgeous lodge title of his look so ridiculous.

The killing and maiming of thousands of people in Ethiopia may seem revolting and senseless to us, but it must appear quite lovely and profitable to the Italians who are celebrating the event with torchlight processions and Shriners' bands, and having lived with the Italians in their native habitat we hardly noticed any difference between them and ourselves. We probably have different beliefs.

The difference from faith in horseshoes to trust in the League of Nations is the slow progress through painful milleniums in the history of mankind, and it may take other milleniums before men will learn to put their faith in their intellect and use as a guide of conduct the Golden Rule, the most practical expression of the highest intelligence and yet so obvious to the simplest of minds.

ANTHONY KOHOUT.

Sooke, B.C., February 21, 1936.

DIED AT COURTENAY

COURTENAY, Feb. 25. — James Siessor, who has resided here since 1927, passed away at his home on Sunday morning in his forty-ninth year. He had not been in good health for the past year. Mr. Siessor came to Winnipeg from Aberdeenshire, Scotland, in 1904, and left the Prairie for Victoria in 1919, where he resided until coming to Courtenay. The funeral will be at 2 p.m. on Wednesday. Besides his widow, he leaves two boys and two girls, Norman, Howard, Gladys and Irene, and his mother, Mrs. J. Siessor, who still resides in Winnipeg. Mr. Siessor also leaves four sisters and three brothers.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of February, 1936:

Date	Sun-rise	Sun-set	Date	Sun-rise	Sun-set
1	7:44	5:10	16	7:18	5:35
2	7:43	5:11	17	7:17	5:36
3	7:41	5:12	18	7:16	5:38
4	7:39	5:15	19	7:14	5:39
5	7:37	5:17	20	7:13	5:41
6	7:36	5:18	21	7:11	5:42
7	7:34	5:20	22	7:09	5:44
8	7:32	5:22	23	7:07	5:45
9	7:31	5:24	24	7:05	5:47
10	7:29	5:26	25	7:03	5:49
11	7:27	5:27	26	7:01	5:51
12	7:26	5:29	27	6:59	5:53
13	7:24	5:31	28	6:57	5:55
14	7:22	5:33	29	6:56	5:56
15	7:21	5:34			

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Tides at Victoria

FEBRUARY

Time of tides (Pacific standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of February, 1936.

Date	Time	H't	Time	H't	Time	H't	Time	H't
	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.
1	.....		8 10	5.5	16:50	2.4	.....	
2	.....		8 44	4.8	17:55	2.0	.....	
3	.....		9 31	4.5	19:40	1.7	.....	
4	5:00	9.5	10 46	4.6	20:30	2.3	19 27	1.8
5	6:00	8.6	7:40	4.4	11:26	9.0	20:07	1.9
6	6:00	8.6	8:35	7.8	13:20	8.7	20:42	2.0
7	5:14	8.4	9:11	7.4	12:00	9.4	21:14	2.0
8	5:20	8.2	9:52	8.0	13:07	8.0	21:46	2.0
9	5:23	8.1	10:36	6.4	14:46	7.5	22:18	2.7
10	5:20	8.1	11:20	6.0	15:39	7.0	23:40	4.4
11	6:45	8.2	12:10	6.4	16:45	6.5	23:55	6.0
12	5:04	8.3	12:03	8.0	16:18	8.1	22:02	6.7
13	5:20	8.4	13:07	4.5	.....		.....	
14	6:33	8.5	14:32	4.0	.....		.....	
15	5:40	8.7	15:48	3.5	.....		.....	
16	6:52	8.9	16:42	3.0	.....		.....	
17	7:22	9.0	17:35	2.8	.....		.....	
18	8:40	9.0	18:20	2.1	.....		.....	
19	10:02	8.0	16:02	1.8	.....		.....	
20	11:16	8.0	19:40	1.7	.....		.....	
21	4:00	7.8	7:25	7.3	12:30	6.0	20:20	1.8
22	3:52	7.6	8:25	6.8	12:33	6.7	20:47	2.4
23	2:57	8.0	8:17	5.8	14:27	8.4	21:35	3.0
24	4:15	8.2	10:10	4.6	15:38	7.8	22:12	3.5
25	4:36	8.5	11:06	4.0	17:00	7.3	22:40	4.9
26	5:00	8.7	12:03	3.4	18:53	7.0	23:20	6.8
27	5:36	8.9	12:03	3.0	21:12	8.0	23:44	8.7
28	5:58	9.0	14:06	2.6	.....		.....	
29	6:22	9.0	15:12	2.2	.....		.....	

The time used is Pacific standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of low water.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt drydock, add 16.6 feet to the height of high water as above given.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Songhees drydock, add 30 feet to the height of high water as above given.

MOONRISE AND MOONSET

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of February, 1936:

Date	Rises	Sets
1	11 41 a.m.	3:12 a.m.
2	12 33 p.m.	4:17 a.m.
3	1 32 p.m.	5:13 a.m.
4	2 39 p.m.	6:08 a.m.
5	3 48 p.m.	6:51 a.m.
6	4:56 p.m.	7:26 a.m.
7	6:04 p.m.	7:52 a.m.
(Full moon on 7th)		
8	7:09 p.m.	8:12 a.m.
9	8:14 p.m.	8:26 a.m.
10	9:19 p.m.	8:37 a.m.
11	10:23 p.m.	8:48 a.m.
12	11:27 p.m.	8:54 a.m.
13	.....	9:17 a.m.
14	8:32 a.m.	9:44 a.m.
15	1:38 a.m.	10:17 a.m.
(Last quarter on 15th)		
16	2:42 a.m.	10:59 a.m.
17	3:40 a.m.	11:53 a.m.
18	4:31 a.m.	12:56 p.m.
19	5:14 a.m.	2:09 p.m.
20	5:50 a.m.	3:30 p.m.
21	6:20 a.m.	4:50 p.m.
22	6:45 a.m.	6:12 p.m.
(New moon on 22nd)		
23	7:10 a.m.	7:37 p.m.
24	7:33 a.m.	8:01 p.m.
25	7:56 a.m.	10:25 p.m.
26	8:27 a.m.	11:44 p.m.
27	9:00 a.m.	.....
27	8:40 a.m.	1:00 p.m.
29	10:30 a.m.	2:09 p.m.
(First quarter on 29th)		

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

FIGHT FROST AND FOG

BOLTON, England (Reuter).—It's not the frost that so much bothers the Wanderers on their Burnden Park soccer field this Winter, as the groundkeepers have braziers burning day and night to soften the surfaces at the goalmouths. The fogs, however, have been a more than usual worry for players and spectators alike.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of February 26, 1886)

The Dominion Parliament—This body was opened yesterday by the Governor-General, with the customary ceremonies. There was a large attendance. A salute was fired as His Excellency proceeded to the throne. The speech congratulates the country on the completion of the Canadian Pacific Railway and on the prospects of it being open for public business next June. In reference to the fisheries question, it states that should negotiations between Her Majesty's Government and the Government of the United States for the appointment of a commission prove a failure, Parliament will be asked to make provision for the protection of the fisheries by the extension of the present system of marine police. He referred to the rebellion in the Northwest and expressed regret that the public expenditure was so largely increased in its suppression.

Swept the Board—O. A. Perrin, of this city, has won high honors at Portland. To the North Pacific Poultry Association he sent coops of black-red and brown-red game fowls, and yesterday he got a telegram stating that his coops had taken first and second prizes against all Oregon, Washington Territory and California.

Sacks of Salt—The steamer Princess Louise moved to Welch, Rithet & Company's inner wharf yesterday afternoon and took on 1,000 sacks of salt for Ewen & Company, New Westminster.

Five Major Issues Are Considered by Church Presbytery

Session at Metropolitan to Conclude Today—Scripture Reading in Schools Favored—Light Wines and Beer Sales in Hotels Opposed

DELEGATES in attendance at the twenty-second annual session of the Victoria Presbytery of the United Church of Canada yesterday passed five major resolutions and heard reports from various committees, as the conference swung into action at Metropolitan United Church.

Prepared to reconvene this morning at 9 o'clock, the session will then consider the four most important matters of the present meeting and will hear final reports from committees. The session will adojurn at 1 o'clock today, to reconvene in Vancouver immediately prior to the British Columbia Conference of the United Church in May to prepare the Victoria resolutions to be submitted for consideration.

PASS RESOLUTIONS

The main resolutions adopted yesterday included: (1) Favoring of Scripture reading in public schools; (2) opposition to sale of light wines and beer in hotels; (3) opposition to the granting of further licences for manufacturing and distribution of "alcoholic beverages"; (4) complete support of the proposed health insurance bill, and (5) candidates for the ministry be accepted only by the British Columbia Conference, instead of the local Presbyteries as at present.

It was agreed to ask the conference to meet in Victoria in 1937, the local brief to be presented at the Vancouver meeting by Rev. E. F. Church and Rev. W. R. Brown.

AMENDMENT DEFEATED

The resolution calling for Scripture reading in public schools came from Rev. Dr. Gerald B. Switzer, chairman of the committee on evangelism and social service, and will be forwarded to Hon. Dr. G. M. Weir, Minister of Education.

An amendment requesting that a half-hour per week be set aside for ministers to appear in schools was voted down. This amendment was introduced by T. C. Colwell.

Vigorous opposition to the proposal that light wines and beer be sold in hotels and restaurants was voiced by the Presbytery. The Provincial authorities will be advised of the resolution. The Presbytery also protested the proposal to establish a brewery in Esquimalt, and a "cover-all" resolution to be forwarded to the Dominion and Provincial Governments asking "that no further licences for the manufacturing and distribution of alcoholic beverages be issued" was passed.

SUPPORT BILL

Premier T. D. Pattullo and Vancouver Island members of the British Columbia Legislature will be advised that the Presbytery is in complete support of health insurance as proposed by the Provincial Government. Thanks to Rev. Dr. Hugh Dobson for his work in connection with the bill were extended.

Bernard F. Ennels, second-year student at Victoria College, was accepted by the Victoria Presbytery as a candidate for the ministry. Appreciation of the work done by Rev. Dr. Creighton, editor of The New Outlook, official church organ, was voiced by the assembly. Complete loyalty to His Majesty King Edward VIII and sorrow at the passing of His Late Majesty King George V, and condolences to the Royal Family, were pressed.

Following yesterday's sessions, the delegates present attended a dinner at the Y.M.C.A.

MINISTERS PRESENT

Approximately fifty pastorates were represented at the sessions.

The pastors present include Rev. A. McLean, Alberni-Port Alberni; Rev. T. C. Colwell, Cowichan Lake; Rev. J. Herdman, Cumberland; Rev. K. Nomoto, Cumberland Japanese; Rev. W. F. Burns, Duncan; Rev. Thomas Menzies, Koksilah-Mill Bay; Rev. C. C. Shiu, Nanaimo Chinese; Rev. J. H. Wright, Nanaimo Hallburton Street; Rev. H. T. Allen, Nanaimo Suburban; Rev. W. P. Bunt, Nanaimo St. Andrew's; Rev. J. L. Millar, Pender Island; Rev. E. J. Thompson, Saltspring Island; Rev. Thomas Keyworth, Sidney; Rev. A. O. Paterson, Union Bay; Rev. James Hood, Victoria Belmont; Rev. C. G. MacKenzie, Victoria Centennial; Rev. Chow Ling, Victoria Chinese; Rev. Dr. S. Fraser, Victoria East Indian; Rev. Dr. E. A. Henry, Victoria Fairfield; Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson, Victoria First United; Rev. E. W. Horton, Victoria First United; Rev. W. R. Brown, Victoria James Bay; Rev. Y. U. Ogura, Victoria Japanese; Rev. E. F. Church and Rev. J. H. A. Warr, Victoria Metropolitan; Rev. Dr. Gerald B. Switzer, Victoria Oak Bay; Rev. T. G. Griffiths, Victoria St. Aidan's, and Rev. William Allan, Victoria Wilkinson Road.

The following ministers not engaged in pastoral work were also present: Rev. S. S. Peat, Victoria Centennial; Rev. Dr. Simon Fraser and Rev. Dr. J. K. Unsworth, Victoria First United; Rev. J. P. Hicks, Victoria Metropolitan; Rev. W. R. Seeley, Victoria Metropolitan, and Rev. F. W. Anderson, Victoria Esquimalt.

ASTRONOMY IS LECTURE TOPIC

Dr. R. M. Petrie Gives Address on Possibility of Life on Planets

An exploration into the field of astronomical fancy, during which the speaker at all times kept his audience down to hard facts, which restrained any flights of imagination, was made last night by Dr. Robert M. Petrie, of the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory, before an attentive audience in the First United Church.

Dr. Petrie's illustrated lecture was "The Astronomer Looks for Life in the Heavens." The choir of the church also contributed to the programme, and a collection was taken in aid of the organ fund.

Prefacing the main part of his address by explaining there were approximately ten billion suns known to exist in the universe, and that any of them might have similar solar systems as the earth's sun, Dr. Petrie said that the possibility always existed that there might be life existent in some other part of the universe. However, so far the astronomers were unable to definitely state that life did exist, at least as it would be known to those on the earth.

NARROWS FIELD

The main portion of his lecture was narrowed down to a study of the sun's solar system, and one by one the speaker eliminated the various planets as probable subjects for investigation in so far as life was concerned. Either the planet suffered from too much heat, or not enough, or had no atmosphere.

Eventually the field was confined to Venus and Mars. The former was known to have an atmosphere, but one so heavily charged with carbon dioxide that as yet no oxygen or water vapor had been found through the medium of the spectroscope.

Mars offered the most interesting field for speculation and investigation. This planet, although much more distant from the sun than the earth, apparently had similar characteristics to the earth. Its year was about twice as long as the earth's, while its day was about a half-hour longer. The surface gravitation, he said, was about 80 per cent that of the earth, while oxygen and water vapor existed, although only in small quantities. The oxygen on Mars in quantity was about 5 per cent of that existent on the earth, the speaker said.

MAY BE VEGETATION

There were certain indications that might lead to the conclusion that there was vegetation on Mars, while the temperature was such that life could exist, if life were possible in such a rarified atmosphere.

The conclusion of his address still left the audience wondering, but gave it a conception of the difficult task confronting astronomers in determining whether life was existent in other parts of the universe.

The choir's contribution to the programme consisted of two choral numbers, "The Heavens Resound" and "The Heavens Exalting." A madrigal group sang "All Creatures Are Merry Minded" and "Just as the Tide Was Flowing."

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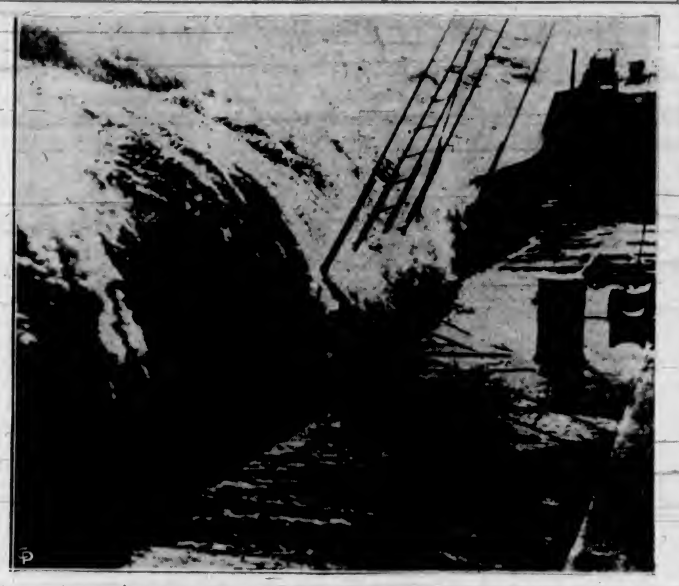
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Thirty Men Rescued From Sinking Ship



Word has been received of the heroic rescue of the crew of thirty of the Greek freighter Stefanos Costomenis, 280 miles southeast of Nantucket Light. In response to the SOS. calls of the stricken ship, eight ships scoured the ocean seeking her, through all of one night, but it was not until late afternoon of February 18 that the steamship City of Newport came alongside and brought the threatened crew aboard from one of the Greek steamer's lifeboats. When the City of Newport did arrive on the scene, water was pouring into the Greek ship through a great gash in her hull, and she was slowly sinking under the heavy seas which were washing over her. The log of the Stefanos Costomenis will have a record of the pictured scene. Back in 1913, when the ship was the Isthmisian liner Santa Rosalia, she ran into a raging storm off Cape Pillar, in the Straits of Magellan. This picture, made at the time, shows seas washing over her sides. She staggered through that storm to safety. This time she foundered.

HUNDREDS HOMELESS AS FLOODS SPREAD

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several major rivers continued to rise, despite clearing skies and cooler temperatures.

Dr. John J. Sippy, head of the San Joaquin health district, warned residents of the flooded regions to have water supplies tested as a precaution against typhoid. He said no cases had been reported.

The San Joaquin River, swelled by fifteen days of heavy rains, poured over its banks at its confluence with the Stanislaus River and inundated 35,000 acres of fertile farm land.

This break and others on the San Joaquin, Stanislaus and Merced Rivers drove scores of families from their homes. The Merced surged out of its banks along a stretch near Hilmar.

HUGE LAKE FORMED

Along the Sacramento River, which had passed the crest stage, 100 miles of lowlands lay under a sheet of water from two to seven miles wide.

Damage to crops and levees was unofficially estimated at $1,500,000, but agriculturists hoped for abundant crops later in the year. The Sierra Nevada watersheds of the rivers were still deep in snow after the heaviest storms in several years.

The weather bureau said the rains were apparently ended for a day or so, at least, though another storm was forming over the Pacific. Frosts were forecast for nearly all of Northern California tomorrow.

REPORT SAYS PREMIER AND MINISTERS SLAIN

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Okada's Government had just been upheld in a bitterly contested general election.

Trading on the Tokio and Osaka Stock Exchanges was reported in Shanghai, to have been suspended.

Although only meagre and unconfirmed reports were received, diplomats, in capitals throughout the world followed the situation with keenest interest.

The censorship situation was without parallel in Japan in recent years.

When an attempt was made by the Associated Press to telephone to Tokio from San Francisco, the trans-Pacific service reported the exchange was "out of order."

Similar attempts from Manila, New York and Shanghai were unavailing, which observers in New York believed indicated a grave situation.

CHINA WORRIED

Chinese officials were visibly perturbed and reported fearful that the reported Government switch would mean an increased Japanese campaign on the mainland.

A long battle for control, with militarists usually holding the upper hand, has been under way in Japan. The army and navy have made increasingly higher budget demands and that for the current year is the highest military budget in the nation's history.

Premier Okada, who is sixty-eight, was not held in warm esteem by the "big navy" group when he went into office two years ago because of his policy of conciliation.

He had won an unexpected victory in the recent general election when the pro-Government Minseito party won 205 seats to the 172 of the anti-Government Seiyukai.

A feature of the campaign, however, which may have had a bearing on today's events, was the surprising gain by the Shakai Taishuto, or Social Masses party, which is opposed to the militarists.

OPPOSED MILITARISTS

Minister of Finance Takahashi, reported by Reuter's to have been assassinated, was eighty-two years old and one of the distinguished men in Japanese politics.

He had frequently opposed the demands of militarists for large budget increases.

He was called to head the Government when Premier Suyoshi Inukai was assassinated in 1932. The veteran Premier was shot down by a group of young army and navy cadets who were extreme militarists.

SITUATION INVOLVED

The reported uprising came with Japan in one of the most delicate international positions of her history.

Frequent clashes on the Manchukuo border with Outer Mongolians has caused increasing friction with Soviet Russia. A campaign of economic penetration in North China also has become a world issue.

Militarists have demanded firmness both in North China and in Manchukuo and Soviets accuse the Japanese officers of aggression designs against Russia.

Japan is the most isolated from international agreements of any leading power. She followed her departure from the League of Nations by walking out of the International Naval Conference in London last month because she was not granted naval parity with the United States and Great Britain.

Only last week Dr. Tatsukichi Minobe, a Japanese author and political scientist, was shot by a political opponent.

EX-SERVICE MEN CHOOSE OFFICERS

L. G. Scott Heads Association of Those Who Served in the 7th Battalion, C.E.F.

L. G. Scott was elected president of the 7th Battalion, C.E.F., Association, during the annual meeting of fifty ex-battalion members in the clubrooms of Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion, last evening.

Other offices elected were: Captain William C. Merston, vice-president; Frank Blakemore, secretary-treasurer; L. Glazen, D. G. Holmes, A. B. Morkill and F. Dawson, members of the executive.

It was decided to hold the annual dinner on June 3, which marks an anniversary of the Battle of Mount Sorel. A smoker will be held in November to mark an anniversary of a trench raid by the 7th Battalion on the Western Front.

Those taking part in a programme of songs, instrumental selections and humorous skits, at the annual meeting, were: F. Dawson, C. Gill, W. McVie, V. Green, L. Glazen and R. Foster.

MRS. GEORGE KEEFER PASSES AT DUNCAN

DUNCAN, Feb. 25 ✆. — Mrs. George F. Keefer, seventy-year-old resident of Cowichan Bay, is dead here. Her marriage to Mr. Keefer in 1915 at Clo-oose, on the West Coast of Vancouver Island, was the first white wedding performed there.

CULBERTSON on CONTRACT

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LEADING AGAINST SLAMS

Killing opening leads against slam contracts are much more difficult than against mere games. Expert opening leaders will testify to this. The time factor is more pressing. It usually is not sufficient simply to conserve honors and play a waiting game. If the contract has a vulnerable spot, that spot must be attacked immediately. The setting trick must be established before the almost inevitable side suit can offer sufficient discards. Proper timing also has an enormous effect on squeeze plays; the early destruction of an entry may mean the difference of thousands of points.

SPLITTING A HAIR

In today's hand a vulnerable slam depended on the careful selection from among three similar holdings of the one that could destroy the tempo of declarer's otherwise sure squeeze.

East, dealer.
East-West vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ A J 10 9
♥ A J 10 8
♦ A J
♣ 10 9 2

WEST
♠ K Q 8
♥ K Q 7
♦ K Q 6 2
♣ 8 7 3

EAST
♠ 7 6 4 3
♥ 6 5 3 2
♦ 9 7 5 3
♣ 6

SOUTH
♠ 5 2
♥ 9 4
♦ 10 8 4
♣ A K Q J 5 4

The bidding:

East	South	West	North
Pass	*1 ♠	†Pass	2 ♠
Pass	2 NT	Pass	‡6 NT.
Pass	Pass	§Dbl.	

*South's shaded bid, not vulnerable, was not without merit. His six-card suit offered good no trump possibilities.

†West was a shade weak for a take-out double, his partner having already passed.

‡North's abrupt leap to a slam, following on his forcing bid, was utterly incomprehensible.

§Final bid.

West, with three suits headed by king-queen, gave careful thought to his opening lead. The only difference in the suits was the one card greater length of the diamonds, but this difference was the deciding factor. He led the diamond king. North's ace won, and since South had no entries except in clubs, the diamond jack was returned. West won and knocked out the heart ace. Now South ran off his six clubs and ten of diamonds, but West had no discomfort with his discards. He simply held the queen of hearts and the king-queen of spades. Declarer had to concede the heart trick in order to cash the two other cards in that suit.

With either a heart or a spade opening lead, the result would have been different. Dummy would have won the ace and returned the same suit, forcing out West's only stopper. Now another king lead would be taken with the ace and the two good tricks of the established first suit cashed. After that South would have run off his six clubs.

West's position would be hopeless. He could not, with only two cards left in his hand, hold the king-queen to stop one suit and the queen to stop another. Any discard by West would establish a trick for dummy.

TODAY'S QUESTION

Question: I opened, first hand vulnerable, with one spade on the following hand: ♠ A Q J 6 2, ♥ 3, ♦ 8 4, ♣ A J 9 8 5.

My partner responded with three no trump. Should I bid again with such a minimum holding?

Answer: Yes, you should bid four clubs. Your distribution compensates for lack of additional values.

TOMORROW'S HAND

South, dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ 10 2
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Mr. Culbertson will discuss this hand in tomorrow's issue.

Merger Proposal Is Endorsed by Members of Club

MERGER of the Pacific Club with the Union Club was approved by the membership of the former organization, it was announced yesterday, following the counting of a secret ballot.

Overtures were made by the executive of the Union Club to the Pacific Club in connection with merging, and the matter now awaits final ratification by the executive of the Union Club. The local membership of the two clubs totals approximately 400, each club having a membership of about 200.

TRUSTEES WILL NAME OFFICERS

Royal Oak Burial Park Board Meets Tonight to Discuss Crematorium

The first meeting of the newly-appointed Royal Oak Burial Park Board of Trustees will be held this evening, when the directors will choose their chairman and committees for the year will be selected. Clarence Oldfield is the present chairman of the board, and has again been reappointed by the Saanich Council as its representative on the directorate.

It is expected that the question of building a crematorium will again come up for discussion. John Worthington, who is planning to visit California this Spring, may be asked to inspect crematoriums in other cities so as to advise the board on their character.

The question of Ross Bay Cemetery also is expected to be brought up. When the Royal Oak Burial Park was first started, the plea was made that there were no more plots available at Ross Bay. Since then the City Council changed its policy with respect to double burials at Ross Bay and, as a consequence, the Royal Oak Burial Park showed a deficit in its 1935 accounts, due to the reduction in the sale of plots. There were more burials at Ross Bay last year than at Royal Oak.

SIX MEETINGS WILL BE HELD

Five Committees and Police Commission Will Meet Today or Tomorrow

Six meetings of various civic bodies will be held today and tomorrow. The Police Commission is scheduled to convene at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon to hear the chief's annual report and recommendations, while the finance committee of the council will be in session most of the afternoon.

The parks committee also has an important meeting this afternoon. Ald. James Adam, chairman, is anxious to clear up the 1936 budget for presentation to the estimates committee of the council.

On Thursday the land committee will meet, as also will the business and trades development committee. The latter body, it is understood, has an industrial problem to come up soon, and it may be discussed at this meeting.

The zoning board of appeal will meet at 2 o'clock on Thursday afternoon.

The French Government contributed $292,000 of the $1,000,000 or more that it cost to build the Eiffel Tower. Alexandre Gustave Eiffel, the engineer who built it, supplied the remainder of the money, trusting for reimbursement to the collection of a fee for ascending the tower.

DELEGATES TO CONCLAVE ARE COMING TODAY

Canadian Infantry Association Convention Will Attract Noted Officers

TO DISCUSS GENERAL PROBLEMS OF UNITS



COL. THE HON. J. A. HOPE

From all parts of the Dominion, some fifty delegates and their wives are expected to arrive here from Vancouver this morning to attend a three-day convention of the Canadian Infantry Association at the Empress Hotel, over which Lieut.-Col. Brooke Stephenson, president, will preside.

It will be the first time the conclave has been held outside Ottawa, and it will bring here many men noted for their activities in both civic and military circles. Among those coming will be Colonel the Hon. J. A. Hope, Toronto, justice of the Supreme Court of Ontario, and Col. G. R. Pearkes, V.C., director of military training, Department of National Defence.

DISCUSS PROBLEMS

Colonel Pearkes and Brigadier D. J. MacDonald, D.O.C. Military District No. 11, will represent the Department of National Defence at the convention, which will discuss problems of every infantry unit in Canada and resolutions will be drafted for presentation to the Department of National Defence.

Delegates will gather today at 1 p.m., at luncheon, at the home of Col. F. A. Lindsay, Uplands, honorary colonel of the 2nd Battalion, Canadian Scottish Regiment. The council of the association will meet in the afternoon and general sessions will be held tomorrow and Friday.

ENTERTAINMENT

Tomorrow at 12:45 p.m. the delegates will be entertained at luncheon in the Union Club, and at night the officers and their wives will be entertained at the regimental officers' mess of the Canadian Scottish Regiment's headquarters, the Armories.

Friday afternoon the delegates will visit Work Point Barracks to see the Royal School of Infantry, after which they will be received at the Garrison Officers' Mess. At 7:30 p.m. the association's annual dinner will be held at the Empress Hotel.

GO BACK TO WORK

ST. THOMAS, Ont., Feb. 25 ✆ — Relief workers called off their "strike" today and went back to work, most of them at snow removal. The men had sought relief by the "open voucher" system, more food and better working conditions. Their demands were not granted.

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READS PAPER TO KIPLING SOCIETY

A. E. G. Cornwell Illustrates Universality of Works—Poem Dedicated to Author

The universal regard for Kipling was well illustrated in a paper read by A. E. G. Cornwell, president of the Victoria branch of the Rudyard Kipling Society, to members and friends at a meeting held last night in the Women's Institute rooms.

The speaker quoted from archbishops and professors, the Salvation Army's War Cry and The London Spectator, Dorothy Dix and many others to demonstrate the popularity of Kipling's books. The paper ably proved that next to the Bible and Shakespeare, Kipling was the most widely quoted author of the present day.

In addition to the paper, an original poem to Kipling's memory, written by a member of the society, was read by Mrs. White, and Mrs. G. Parker read Kipling's story, "Wee Willie Winkie." His charming poem, "The Ballad of St. Jubanus," was read by P. R. Leighton.

Members heard with regret of the sudden death in London of Colonel C. Bailey, secretary of the central society. Colonel Bailey has shown a lively interest and sympathy with the Victoria branch since it was first formed. A letter of regret has been forwarded to the central society by the local secretary, T. A. Simmons.

A competition to find the source of numerous Kipling quotations taken from Mr. Cornwell's paper, was arranged and taken up by the members. The result will be declared at a future meeting and a prize awarded.

British Clergy To Visit Canada

OTTAWA, Feb. 25 ✆.—A party of sixty Presbyterian ministers from England, Ireland and Wales will visit Canada during June and July with a view to forming a closer fellowship between the church in Canada and the United Kingdom. The party, known as the "Presbyterian Inter-Fellowship Party" will be headed by Rev. W. Brown, of Glasgow.

PULLET IS PROLIFIC

KINGSTON, Ont., Feb. 25 ✆ — A White Leghorn pullet owned by Bert Babcock has produced six double-yoked eggs in a row. Each egg is three inches long and six in diameter.

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Little Stories for Bedtime

Mrs. Grouse Learns Many Things

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

All the time that Peter Rabbit and her other friends were worrying about her, Mrs. Grouse was very warm and comfortable in the henhouse of Farmer Brown's Boy. That first night she had slept soundly, for you know she had been very, very tired. In the morning when she had opened her eyes, she couldn't think at first where she was. Then she remembered how she had been picked up by Farmer Brown's Boy when she was too weak to fly and put in a box of hay, where she now was, and given all she could eat.

She peeped out of the box timidly and looked around. It was a strange place, a very strange place, to Mrs. Grouse. You see, never before in all her life had she ever slept under any roof excepting the thick, low hanging branches of a hemlock tree. Always she had been where she could spread her stout wings and whirr up and away where she pleased. But here she couldn't fly, because there were walls on all sides and a roof, and no place to fly to. The very thought made her heart sink and frightened her. Along one side were rows of boxes with hay in them. In some of them were birds who looked as if they might be relatives of hers, only they were ever so much bigger than she. And sitting on long sticks across one end were more of these birds. Presently one of these, the biggest one, stretched his long neck out and made a terrible noise. It frightened Mrs. Grouse still more. You see, she never had heard a rooster crow close at hand before.

Mrs. Grouse kept very still. None of these strange birds had noticed her, and she didn't want them to. Little by little as she looked and listened, she remembered things she had heard Unc' Billy Possum tell about Farmer Brown's henhouse. You know Unc' Billy knows all about the inside of that henhouse. Somehow the things she was looking at were very like the things she had heard Unc' Billy tell about.

"Why!" she exclaimed, "I think this is the very place!"

By and by she heard footsteps and she knew them for the footsteps of Farmer Brown's Boy. All her old fear of him returned and she crouched down in her box all of a tremble. The door opened just wide enough for Farmer Brown's Boy to squeeze through. You see, he was afraid that if he opened it wide Mrs. Grouse might get past him and fly away. So he squeezed through as narrow a space as he could and shut the door after him. He smiled down at Mrs. Grouse.

"How do you do this morning, Mrs. Grouse?" said he, and his voice was low and very pleasant. "I expect that you are anxious to get back to the Green Forest, but I am not going to let you—not yet, anyway. You see, that crust over the snow is just as hard and icy as ever, and I am afraid that if I should let you go now you would have hard work to find enough to eat. You might starve to death. You are a great deal better off right here, even if you don't think so."

Of course, Mrs. Grouse didn't understand what he said, or perhaps she would have felt better. You see, she is very, very timid. Then, again, she was frightened by being shut in where she couldn't use her stout wings. She felt very helpless. So she trembled more than ever and made herself as small as possible in the farthest corner of the box. Farmer Brown's Boy noticed it.

"You haven't a thing to be afraid of, Mrs. Grouse," said he, and if only Mrs. Grouse could have understood him perhaps she would have left better.



She peeped out of the box timidly and looked around.

He got a piece of wire netting and fastened it over the box. Then he left some nice corn and barley for her and went away. Mrs. Grouse felt worse than ever. You see, now she couldn't even get out of her box. She felt that she was a prisoner, very much a prisoner, and such a feeling is dreadful. For a long time she couldn't even eat. But by and by she grew so hungry that she just had to eat. After that she felt better. A full stomach always makes one feel better. Pretty soon Mrs. Featherlegs discovered her and called all the other hens. They crowded around the box and made unkind remarks about Mrs. Grouse. They asked her what business she had there, and made fun of her because she was so much smaller than they. And then Mrs. Grouse was very glad indeed of that wire netting which a little while before had seemed so hateful. When they finally left her alone she grew very thoughtful. She had learned many things—what the inside of Farmer Brown's henhouse was like, that Farmer Brown's Boy could be very gentle, that even a hateful wire might prove a blessing, and much more.

Next Story: "Peter Rabbit's Glad Surprise."

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Schubert Club Recital, with assisting artists, in aid of girls' work, Y.W.C.A., at Empress Hotel, Wednesday, February 26, 8:15 p.m.

Oak Bay Seafront, the Small Charming Hotel. Miss Ewing. G 0267.

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STEELE WINS CLOSE FIGHT IN THE SOUTH

Tacoma Contender Is Given Decision Over Young Stuhley at Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 25 (AP). — Freddie Steele, 155, hard-hitting Tacoma middleweight, carrying the fight to his heavier opponent, Hayden "Young" Stuhley, 160, of Chicago, tonight won a ten-round decision at the Olympic Auditorium.

Lieutenant Jack Kennedy, retired navy officer who served as referee, did not hesitate in raising Steele's hand although the decision was close. Ringsiders gave Steele five rounds, Stuhley three, with two even.

Stuhley rallied gamely in the closing round, catching Steele with a hard blow to the mouth. The round was even, but Steele had piled up sufficient points to give him the decision.

The Chicago boxer showed plenty of fast footwork, and ruggedness in absorbing Steele's terrific blows. Steele was the aggressor throughout the fight, but had difficulty in keeping out of the way of his opponents' lefts to his face.

NUMBERS GIVE CURIOUS SUMS

James Duff, M.A., Relates Curiosities in Numerals to Astronomical Group

Students of astronomy, usually familiar with processions of ciphers, had battalions of them paraded for review at the meeting of the Victoria Centre of the Royal Astronomical Society at the Y.W.C.A. here last night.

"Curiosities in Numbers" was the title of a special lecture given by James Duff, M.A., a member of the society, and one time president of the group. Mr. Duff did curious things with his numbers, and, by a simple sum of arithmetic, showed how Zeno, ancient Greek philosopher, was all wrong about Achilles and the tortoise.

ZENO'S PARADOX

Zeno—Aristotle called him the father of dialectic or logic—made use of famous paradoxes, such as Achilles and the tortoise, to prove that motion was an illusion of the senses. He did it by the use of an infinite series of numbers to produce an infinite sum. Zeno contended if the tortoise was given a start of 100 yards over the fleet-footed Achilles, the latter would never catch up to it, though the process of running went on until eternity. That would be quite true, Mr. Duff explained, by adopting the method of Zeno—of an infinite series of figures. But, he said, Achilles was not concerned with the figures and just went on running. By the process of simple mathematics, Mr. Duff showed how Achilles caught up to the tortoise by overcoming the 100-yard start in eleven and one-ninth seconds, the figures, of course, being based in the moving speed of both Achilles and the tortoise.

ARCHIMEDES TOTAL

Archimedes, Greek philosopher and a famous mathematician of antiquity, worked out an equally interesting problem—how many grains of sand in the universe. The process was one that involved a series of figures of amazing magnitude. The final answer, according to Mr. Duff, worked out to a sum total represented by the number 1 followed by 80,000,000,000,000 ciphers. If this formidable array of ciphers were written out on a ribbon inserted in a typewriter—allowing an eighth of an inch per cipher—the ribbon would extend from the earth to Neptune, something like 270 light years.

His final example of curious numbers concerned compound interest. By taking a single dollar, placed in trust 2,000 years ago at interest of 3 per cent, Mr. Duff explained how the dollar would have grown to one million, million, million dollars today. He jokingly remarked it would be a novel way to raise money for charity 2,000 years hence—starting with a dollar today.

Mr. Duff was introduced by H. R. Tingley, president of the society. Robert Peters gave a short review of the constellations of the month and mentioned interesting facts concerning Arion.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH IS JURY'S VERDICT

PORT ALBERNI, Feb. 25 (C.P.).—A coroner's jury found today that Thomas Cole, thirty-six-year-old logger who had been missing from his home since February 16, had died accidentally.

He apparently slipped on the ice while walking to the berth of the camp boat and fell into the water. His body was recovered on Sunday night.

Obituary

FILLER—A large congregation attended the funeral of Mrs. Annie Filler, held in St. Paul's Garrison Church yesterday, Rev. Alan Gardiner conducting the service. The hymns sung were "Dear Lord and Father of Mankind" and "Cast Thy Care On Jesus." An abundance of beautiful floral offerings was received. The following were the pallbearers: Frank Holness, George King, A. G. Young and William McDonald. Sister L. White, of Victoria Lodge, No. 83, Daughters of St. George, read the service at the graveside. The remains were laid to rest in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

SLADE—Funeral services for Mrs. Eva Kate Slade, of 1110 Tattersall Drive, which had been announced for this afternoon, will be held on Friday at 3 p.m. at the S. J. Curtis & Son Funeral Home. Rev. G. A. Reynolds will officiate and the remains will be laid at rest in Royal Oak Burial Park.

Monthly Winners Will Meet Sunday

The postponed play-off for the five winners of the six monthly competitions, consisting of eighteen holes match play against par, will take place Sunday at the Victoria Golf Club, it was announced yesterday. The draw follows: H. F. Hepburn, W. B. Lambert and W. P. Bowden; G. M. Terry and J. D. D. Campbell.

MONTREAL, Feb. 25 (C.P.).—Roger Mariotti, forty-five-year-old workman, was fatally injured today when an icicle weighing about 100 pounds fell from a roof-edge and struck him on the head.

Lord Mayor Makes Davis Cup Draw



For the first time in the history of the Davis Cup, coveted international lawn tennis trophy, the draw was made at the Mansion House, London, by the Lord Mayor of London, Sir Percy Vincent. When this picture was taken the Lord Mayor was making the draw in the presence of Mr. Roper Barrett, non-playing captain of the English team (left), the Lady Mayoress and Lord Desborough, famous sportsman. The ceremony was also witnessed by ambassadors of all the countries entered in the Davis Cup series.

City and District

Special Service—Divine service will be held at 11 a.m. today in the Cridge Memorial Hall in observance of Ash Wednesday. Rev. A. deB. Owen will officiate.

Lenten Service—There will be a Lenten service at St. John's Church, Colwood, tonight at 7:30 o'clock, and at St. Matthew's Church, Langford, on Thursday at 7:30 o'clock.

Saanich Liberals—The Saanich Liberal Association will hold its annual dance in the A.O.F. Hall, on Wednesday, March 4, from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m., it was announced yesterday by E. E. Bell, president.

Motor Club Directors—To name standing committees for 1936, newly-elected directors of the Victoria Automobile Club will meet tomorrow at 4:30 p.m. in the club office, Winch Building, Fort Street.

Bishop's Special Sermons—This evening (Ash Wednesday) at 8 o'clock, at Christ Church Cathedral, and every succeeding Thursday evening during Lent, Bishop Sexton will preach on "Some Characters of the Passion."

Credit Granters—Herbert W. Davy will deal with "Action After Judgment, Particularly in Regard to the Small Debts Court" during a meeting of Credit Granters' Association of Victoria in Spencer's dining-room next Tuesday at 12:10 o'clock.

Pass Resolution—A resolution expressing loyalty to Premier T. D. Pattullo and best wishes to Vancouver Island Liberal members of the Legislature was passed by Ward Two Liberal Association last evening. A copy will be forwarded to all concerned.

Ash Wednesday—Today being Ash Wednesday, services will be held in St. John's Church. Holy Communion will take place at 10:30 o'clock in the morning. The evening prayer with a Lenten address by Rev. Canon Chadwick will begin at 8 o'clock.

Pensioners to Meet—A very important meeting of the Victoria Branch of the Canadian Pensioners' Association of the Great War will be held on Friday evening at 8 o'clock at its headquarters, 331 Pemberton Building. All members are requested to attend.

Reserves Judgment—In the County Court yesterday, Judge P. S. Lampman heard evidence in the case of R. F. Cox vs. R. A. Sedger in which the plaintiff sued for damages amounting to $275, while the defendant entered a counter-claim for $140. The case is one in which damages were incurred by two automobiles. The plaintiff's car was parked at the time on Esquimalt Road, just beyond Lampson Street. The other car was proceeding along the road and was trying to evade some other traffic, it was represented. Gordon Cameron appeared for the plaintiff and Roy Manzer for the defendant. Judgment was reserved.

Will Speak Tonight—Dr. W. E. Harper will be the speaker tonight at a meeting of the Victoria West Community Forum, in the Victoria West United Church, commencing at 8 o'clock. Dr. Harper's subject will be "The Proposed Change in the Calendar." Rev. W. R. Brown will preside.

Hydrant Broken—A fire hydrant was knocked off its base at the intersection of Burnside Road and Delta Street yesterday when struck by an automobile driven by H. McLaughlin, 3131 Delta Street, after the machine had rebounded from a collision with another car driven by H. Mottershead, 401 Burnside Road, according to city police.

To Address Guild — The Men's Guild of Christ Church Cathedral will meet in the Memorial Hall tomorrow at 8:15 p.m., when Brigadier-General Sir Charles Delme-Radcliffe, K.C.M.G., C.V.O., C.B., will give an address concerning the Italo-Ethiopian problem. The meeting will be open to any men who are interested.

Fourth Picture—Sets for "Secret Patrol," fourth production of the Central Films, Limited, are being erected in the Willows studio and work on this picture is expected to start within a week. Owing to adverse weather conditions, outside scenes from "Gun Smoke" will not be taken until after indoor scenes on "Secret Patrol" are filmed.

In English Paper—A splendid photograph of Mount Victoria, situated on Vancouver Island north of Strathcona Park and midway between Sayward on the East Coast and Nootka on the West Coast, appeared recently in an issue of The Manchester Evening News. The mountain was described as the highest on the Island, soaring 7,484 feet into the air.

Ward Three Conservatives—The monthly social meeting of Ward Three Conservative Association will be held next Friday night at 8 o'clock in the Conservative Rooms, Campbell Building. The guest speaker will be H. Despard Twigg. A good programme has been arranged, and refreshments will be served. A large attendance of members and their friends is anticipated.

Fuller Weather Report—Since the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau made representation to the Canadian Radio Commission, Napier Denison, superintendent of the Gonzales Observatory, has been permitted to give a more specific Lower British Columbia weather summary, he advised directors recently. The local publicity bureau pointed out to radio authorities that often when there was fog in Vancouver and district, there would be bright sunshine in Victoria.

Congratulate Chief—A letter congratulating him on his third traffic guide and safety booklet has been received by Police Chief Thomas Heatley from the British Columbia Safety League, Vancouver. The booklet contains all the valuable information of the 1935 guide and, in addition, many extra features for the education and safety of motorists, pedestrians, adults and children alike. Copies are being distributed throughout Greater Victoria by men of the Citizens' Recreation Room.

Will Present Banner—Alderman Walter Luney, representing Mayor David Leeming, will tonight present Cecil Frampton, president of the Victoria Motorcycle Club, with a banner won by the club last December. The banner is awarded quarterly by the American Motorcycle Association to the most active club on this continent. The local club had the honor of winning this distinction for the last quarter of 1935. The occasion for the presentation is a dance at the A.O.F. Hall, sponsored by the Victoria Motorcycle Club.

The British originally used chocolate only as a beverage and paid from $2.50 to $3.75 a pound for it.

Start New Mount Everest Expedition



With enthusiasm and confidence illuminating their faces, this quartette is photographed commencing the first stage of a journey towards a destination no man has ever reached—the summit of Mount Everest. Under the leadership of Mr. Hugh Ruttledge (extreme right), the fifty-one-year-old explorer and mountaineer, who led the 1933 expedition to within 1,000 feet of the summit before being defeated by pitiless weather, they are going to put to the test the world's highest experiments that have occupied them for the past two years. At the left is Lieutenant J. M. L. Gavin, and in the centre, Dr. and Mrs. Noel Humphreys. Mrs. Humphreys is accompanying the expedition as far as Darjeeling.

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MANY PROJECTS ARE UNDER WAY

Six Storm Sewers Under Construction—Begbie St. Roadway Being Built

Six storm sewer projects, including Cecilia Ravine, are now under way, while work on the Begbie Street road project also is advancing favorably.

The storm sewer extensions on Cedar Hill Road and Runnymede Avenue are nearly completed, while the storm sewer on Park Boulevard is half completed. Denman Street work is progressing rapidly, while work has been started on the Begbie Street sewer.

Taking the top off the steep hill on Begbie Street, east of Belmont Avenue, is employing gangs steadily. The crest of the hill is being lowered about five feet, and a fine twenty-six-foot-wide road will be built from Belmont Avenue to Rembroke Street.

OWNERS SOUGHT FOR LARGE SUMS

County Courts of England Have Two and a Half Million Unclaimed

LONDON (BUP).—The county courts of England are waiting and anxious to give away $2,500,000, but they cannot find anyone to take it.

For a year courts all over the country have been trying to find the rightful owners of hundreds of thousands of dollars which have remained unclaimed in their possession for nearly a century. The money is made up of sums paid under the Trustees Relief Act, equity cases and non-claimed dividends under administrative cases. The amounts range from a few dollars to thousands.

Before the County Courts Act of 1934 was passed this money remained in the court's custody indefinitely. Now under the new act, after a year's notice, all money paid into court more than fifteen years ago is to be handed over to the National Debt Commissioners.



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LONDON (BUP).—An instrument which enables the blind to read by ear is being demonstrated to scientists and blind institutions in England by Caroline Mary Jamcson, M.B.E., who has been blind from birth.

The instrument, called the "optophone," adjusts itself to any size of type. Each letter of the alphabet has its own sound. A ray of light, working on the solignum principle, passes under the lines of type, and as it touches each letter, the sound for that letter is made. The blind person, wearing earphones, thus hears the printed words.

CANNOT KNOW HIS OWN BIRTH DATE

Australian Judge Rules It an Impossibility—Mother Also Finds It Difficult

MELBOURNE (BUP).—It is impossible for anyone to tell the date of his birth. This legal ruling was made in a court case here.

"When were you born?" a witness was asked.

Judge O'Callaghan objected to the question on the grounds that the witness could not possibly know when he was born. It was then decided to call the witness' mother, and the judge agreed to accept her evidence.

But the mother didn't know either.

"I have fourteen children," she said, "and I couldn't possibly remember all their birthdays."

BELATED PLAY-OFF

CAPETOWN (C.P.).—J. H. Russell having been around the world in the meantime, a tie created nine months ago for the Springbok Cup at the Mowbray Golf Club between Russell and E. Temple, was played off here, Temple winning by three holes.

A NIGHT ATTACK

"Would you like me to cross the cheque or do you prefer to cash it yourselves?" — L'Illustre, Lausanne

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Bachelor Maids Are Attentive to Beaux At Leap Year Dance

Spinsters Present Their Escorts With Boutonnieres At Novelty Ball at Yacht Club—St. Joseph's Junior W.A. Stages Delightful Party

THOSE young men of Victoria who were fortunate enough to be chosen as guests to attend the Spinsters' Ball given last evening at the Royal Victoria Yacht Club by the Junior Women's Auxiliary of St. Joseph's Hospital will long remember the evening, for the dance was one of the most successful of its kind ever held in Victoria.

An unusually large number of pre-dance parties had been arranged for the occasion and from the moment the taxis, big cars and little cars arrived at the Cadboro Bay clubhouse and the fair escorettes conducted their swains through the gaily illuminated doorway, there was one continuous round of jollity and genuine fun and the guests of the evening were unanimous in their praise and appreciation of the attention lavished upon them.

The order of procedure had been reversed for the evening. The men wore the corsage bouquets, were provided with the cigarettes and their programmes were made up for them by the girls. A particularly popular few were the target of an eager line of "stags" who, following the usual custom, refrained from cutting in until after the first encore.

PRETTY DECORATIONS

The dance room had been elaborately decorated with greenery and Spring flowers, a cheerful fire burned in the large stone fireplace, and on the mantlepiece and in the sitting-room were lovely bowls of daffodils and tulips. Festoons of ivy hung from chandeliers and outlined the doorways and colored lights added gaiety to the entrance hall.

The supper room was charmingly decorated with Oregon grape and daffodils and a sit-down supper was served.

SPINSTERS' CHORUS

One of the highlights of the evening was the "Spinsters' Chorus," which was directed by Miss Maureen Grute, in which Miss Betty O'Brien, Miss Norah Kelpin, Miss Mona Kelpin and Mrs. Alfred Hood appeared wearing long, rustling black taffeta skirts, black buttoned boots and starched white blouses, stiff linen collars and black ties, black gloves and black banded "boaters." In spite of the quaintness of such costumes in modern eyes, they presented a very charming group as they sang in high voices "I Ain't Nobody's Darling," accompanying their song with stiff dance steps.

BATCHELOR MAIDS

At the end of their chorus, they were joined by a bevy of modern "Bachelor Maids," Misses Nan Eve, Marjory Peden, Helen Schwengers, and Eileen Regan, who wore, in striking contrast to their "Spinster" sisters, very abbreviated black oil-cloth costumes with white frills, black top hats and white frilled black gloves. Their song was, most appropriately, "A Little Bit Independent." In spite of horrified looks, the "Spinsters" soon joined in, and the words of the popular song were sung lustily by the whole group.

A five-piece orchestra played the dance music during the evening.

But the girls were not allowed to take all the honors. Mr. "Bud" Pangman and Mr. Ian Phillips put on a Shirley Temple act which was greeted by shouts of applause and the two comedians were presented with "cauliflower" bouquets.

Miss Evelyn Lytton was general convener of the ball, assisted by Misses Margaret Vantreight and Muriel Richards. The decorations were in charge of Miss Beryl Nelson.

BLACK AND WHITE

It was an evening for formal attire and the "guests" had chosen a uniform color scheme of black and white. Among the many attractive outfits noticed were: Mr. Jack Todd, wearing a black cloth ensemble, with silk lapels opening over a vestee of white. He wore a corsage bouquet of rosebuds. Mr. Roy Denny, was smart in black and white, pink roses forming his boutonniere. Mr. George Fatt's ensemble made an effective background for a bouquet of red carnations. Mr. Maurice Davis' model of dull black cloth, made on long slim lines, was enhanced by a fragrant corsage bouquet of gardenias. Mr. Michael Keplin, also in a beautifully cut ensemble, with touches of gold in the ornamentions of the cuffs carried a Victorian nosegay of mixed flowers. Sombre black, featuring a short jacket, was worn by Mr. Mondie Christopher, his wing collar caught with a black bow at the neckline, and his bouquet was of gardenias.

Mr. Ralph Mathews, also in a black wool ensemble, wore a corsage bouquet of pastel shaded flowers and Mr. La Croix carried a nosegay of rosebuds and freesias. Mr. Dick Airey appeared in a becoming model of black, the coat finished with dull satin reveres, and his bouquet was of carnations. Mr. Fred Pease, in black cloth made on long fitted lines, featuring the popular broad shouldered effect, wore a bouquet of Sweetheart roses.

On of the most lovely of the bouquets was that of Talisman roses, carried by Mr. Grant Stewart, and Mr. Dick Mulrhead's boutonniere was a Calla lily. Mr Austin Goward, in a black fitted model, wore a boutonniere of camellias and violets and Mr. Logan Mayhew's black and white ensemble was given a touch of color by a buttonhole of pink rosebuds. Mr. Harry Elke wore black, the coat opening over a vestee of white, studded with mother-of-pearl, and his bouquet was of pink roses and foreget-me-nots.

THE DANCERS

Among the dancers were Mr. and Mrs. P. Skillings, Mr. and Mrs. LaCroix, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hood, Mr. and Mrs. McNeill, Mr. and Mrs. H. Calvert, Mrs. W. Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Drayton, Misses V. Kennedy-Smith, J. Loreen, G. Woods, Sybil Fraser, Mason-Hurley, B. McCallum, K. Cullum, V. Martin, R. Lambert, D. Hill, S. Sangster, M. Grute, J. Marshall, E. Dixon, A. Byrom, D. Wilson, A. Barnett, P. Keats, M. Prior, N. Hutton, N. Eve, E. Wilcox, J. Findlay, B. Doull, B. O'Brien, H. Schwengers, E. Mathews, E. Osborne Smith, A. Gwynne, B. Wharton, E. Robertson, R. Pedlingham, V. Swan, M. Richards, E. Lytton, P. Dixon, R. Goward, D. Holmes, M. Barnett, H. Eve, M. Brown, D. Kennedy, A. Mitchell, P. Walton, P. Dixon, G. Hall.

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Four Old-Fashioned Girls



—Photograph by Gibson

This quaint group of old-fashioned girls might have been taken from the pages of grandmother's album, but they are in reality four modern young ladies who took part in an amusing song and dance number at the Spinsters' Ball last evening, at the Royal Victoria Yacht Club. In the group are, left to right, standing, Mrs. Alfred Hood and Miss Norah Kelpin; seated, Miss Mona Kelpin and Miss Betty O'Brien. The ball was given by the Junior W.A. of St. Joseph's Hospital.

Fashion Show to Be Held at Ball

Owing to the success that attended their 1935 fashion show, the Tuberculous Veterans, by special request, have arranged to have a display of knitwear, sponsored by the Navy League Chapter, I.O.D.E., showing the latest and up-to-date 1936 models, at the Empress Hotel ballroom on Tuesday evening, March 3.

Headquarters at 812 Blanshard Street report a good ticket sale and the telephone busy enough with inquiries to keep a special operator supplying further details.

The committee in charge has made a special appeal to all those who have tickets to make their returns at once.

Mrs. D. W. Burnett is convener of the arrangements and among the distinguished patrons are His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Hon. A. Wells Gray, Mayor and Mrs. Leeming, Brigadier D. J. MacDonald, Commander G. C. Jones, Brigadier J. Sutherland Brown, Sir Frank and Lady Barnard, Sir Richard Lake, Sir Percy Lake and Mrs. Curtis Sampson.

I.O.D.E. Activities

Municipal Chapter

Municipal Chapter will meet tomorrow at 2 p.m. at headquarters. All members are asked to attend as nominations for officers will be held.

Royal Bride Chapter

The annual meeting of the Royal Bride Chapter will be held on Saturday at 3 p.m. at headquarters.

Presentation Made to Head Of Workroom

Deep appreciation of the fine organizing and administrative capacities of Mrs. Sills, who for so long has held the position of superintendent of the Women's Workroom, was shown by the committee and members of the board yesterday afternoon when a tea was held in her honor at the home of Mrs. Alex Gillespie, 1990 Fairfield Road.

Retiring from the superintendency of the workroom to take over Miss Aline Stewart-William's duties in connection with Girl Guides, Mrs. Sills was presented by her former colleagues with a little collection of gardening and nature books, the presentation being made by the president, Mrs. L. A. Genge, with a graceful acknowledgement of the significant part played by Mrs. Sills in helping the unemployed women of the city to some measure of economic independence.

Tea was served during the afternoon, Mrs. Hermann Robertson and Mrs. Charles Swayne presiding at the table with its attractive centrepiece of plum blossom, daffodil and narcissi. Assisting with the serving were Mrs. Barkley Barnes, Miss K. Swayne and Miss Rosanna Gillespie, and among the others present were Mrs. Thorne, assistant superintendent of the workroom; Mrs. Alex Gillespie, convener of sales; Miss Maxwell, secretary; Mrs. J. W. Gibson, Mrs. Alan Morkill, Miss B. Fitzgibbon, Miss Finch Page, Mrs. Hetherington, Mrs. Morgan, the Misses Rennie, Mrs. Hebden Gillespie, Mrs. Thorpe-Doubble, Mrs. Denton Holmes, Mrs. Unsworth and Miss Ogilive.

At the Hotels

DOMINION

Mr. W. E. Townsend, Mr. E. W. Watt, Mr. P. Watt, Mr. H. P. Estlin, Mr. J. Longmore, all of Vancouver; Miss C. M. Alexander, Mr. E. S. Benson, Seattle; Mr. R. E. Miller, Port Angeles; Mr. H. J. Gray, Vancouver; Mr. E. J. Thompson, Ganges; Miss C. A. Mendell, Seattle; Mr. T. Uphill, M.P.P., Fernie; Mr. R. Loutell, Vancouver.

Miss Harman Gives Address

A large gathering of members and friends of the Inter-Schools Christian Fellowship spent an enjoyable evening at the Y.W.C.A. on Saturday. The guest chairman was Rev. T. G. Griffiths, of St. Aidan's United Church.

The first part of the programme consisted of vocal and instrumental numbers rendered by artists from the various high schools. Mr. Paul Ayriss, of Mount View High School, sang "The Stranger of Galilee," accompanied on the piano by Miss Helen McKinnon. Mr. B. Mickle-bourgh narrated an interesting episode woven around artist life in Germany. Miss Elsie Vantreight and Miss Phyllis Maddock, of Mount Douglas High School, played a pianoforte duet.

A poem, "Snow," by Miss Winifred Woodward was of a seasonal and appropriate nature. The Oak Bay High School girls sang a quartette. Miss Mary Thompson, of the Victoria High I.S.C.F. group, recited a stirring incident of the days of the Scottish Covenanters. Miss Florence Rowley's pianoforte solo, "Elegie," by Gade, concluded the first part of the programme.

ILLUSTRATED TALK

The audience was most fortunate in having Miss Harman, who is at present in Victoria on furlough, speak to them. She gave an illustrated talk on her work in Central Africa and recounted many impressive and inspiring events. Miss Harman charmed her listeners with her pleasing and vivid descriptions. Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the talk.

The Inter-Schools Christian Fellowship is an interdenominational organization in the high schools of Canada and the United States and is an outgrowth of similar organizations in the universities of Great Britain and North America. The boys' and girls' groups of each high school meet once a week for modern yet fundamental study of the Bible. Details of the various weekly meetings may be had by telephoning Empire 0130. Announcements of the next rally will be given at a later date. All high school students and their friends are invited to attend.

Canadian Hostess in London



—Photograph by Pearl Freeman, London

MISS ANNETTE ARNAUD

A new member of the Canadian Women's Club Committee in London, is a well-known member of the Canadian colony in London and chatelaine of 32 Craven Hill Gardens, a popular rendezvous for Canadian visitors in London. Miss Arnaud, who is related to several prominent Canadian families, traces her ancestry on the paternal side to Baron de Barbazon, of France, one of whose descendants turned Huguenot and was smuggled to England after the Revolution. On her mother's side, she is descended from the Walcots, of Walcot, a very old English family, tracing its ancestry to a line of princes who came into power after the departure of the Romans in A.D. 410. Miss Arnaud is a sister of Mr G. P. Arnaud, of the Bank of Montreal in Victoria, and of Mr. J. deB. Arnaud, of the Bank of Montreal in London, Ont.

Hospital Bazaar Nets Large Sum

DUNCAN, Feb. 25.—The W.A. to Cowichan Hospital Association met yesterday afternoon at the Nurses' Home. There were twenty members present, with the president, Mrs. Neil McIver, in the chair. The full report of the annual bazaar was presented, showing that after all bills were paid, the sum of $777.40 was cleared. Mrs. J. E. Sanders reported for the new sewing committee that 217 articles had been made in the past two months.

A motion of sympathy with the past president, Mrs. K. F. Duncan, in her recent illness was passed, and the auxiliary expressed a wish that flowers be sent her with a hope for a speedy recovery. The next meeting on March 23 will take the form of a silver tea. Mrs. E. W. Neel will arrange a musical programme and Mrs. O. T. Smythe will have charge of competitions. Mrs. F. G. Aldersey was elected convener of the refreshment committee for the year.

As the business of the meeting was quickly disposed of, songs by Mrs. J. Piper and Mrs. W. Dobson were enjoyed. Mrs. Neel acted as accompanist. Tea was served after the meeting by Mrs. D. H. McRae, Miss Mary Wynne and Miss Lucy Kingston.

The jackal is said to be the only animal with which the tiger becomes friendly. When the latter becomes too old to seek out his own prey, the jackal leads him to it and is rewarded with the remains of the feast after the tiger has finished.

Clubs—Societies

World Day of Prayer

In connection with the World Day of Prayer, an undenominational meeting for young women of the city will be held in Emmanuel Baptist Church on Friday at 8 p.m. The programme will be in charge of the young women of the different churches. Miss Marion Kerr will represent the United Church; Miss Frances Lightbody, Presbyterian Church; Miss Lois Peacey, Anglican Church; Miss Margaret Janes, Salvation Army, and Miss Sylvia Smith, Baptist Church. Miss May Zala will be the soloist, and a choir of thirty voices, directed by Miss Lillian Parfitt, will sing. Mrs. H. B. Clark will be chairman for the evening and a cordial invitation is extended to all young women of the city.

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Home League

Rev. Mackie Niven, of Knox Presbyterian Church, will address the weekly meeting of the Salvation Army Home League at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in the Broad Street Citadel. Mrs. M. Wilkinson, the league secretary, will preside and all women are invited.

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Esquimalt O.E.S.

Esquimalt Chapter, O.E.S., will hold a Leap Year dance on Friday evening in the Masonic Hall, Esquimalt. There will be cards for non-dancers. Prizes will be given, refreshments served and a good orchestra has been engaged.

The Church Army of the Church of England has carried on evangelistic missions in Ontario during the past year in the dioceses of Ottawa and Toronto. Officers of the Army are located as parochial evangelists in ten parishes throughout Canada, working under the clergy and responsible mainly for work among men and youths.

That Body of Yours

(By James W. Barton, M.D.)

KEEPING OUR TEETH UNTIL WE ARE OLD

As we grow older it seems only natural that we will keep losing our teeth one by one, or even two by two, and yet Dr. Guy S. Milberry, Dean of the College of Dentistry, University of California, believes that teeth can be kept in a sound, healthy condition, working normally and with comfort as long as we live.

You and I have seen old people past seventy and even eighty, with every tooth present and all in good condition. Sometimes good care had been taken in regard to brushing and sometimes little or no attention had been given to the care of the teeth.

Dr. Millberry tells us in Southwestern Medicine that food is the most important factor in growing strong teeth and preventing decay. Even when there is decay and cavities present in the teeth, proper food can prevent further decay and prevent cavities from enlarging. He refers to a number of cases recorded by Drs. Boyd and Drain in Iowa City who kept decayed teeth and teeth with cavities from getting any worse for a period of five years by giving proper food.

Experiments on animals have shown that decay of the teeth can be produced or prevented at will by giving improper or proper food.

It is not that there is anything wrong with our usual or ordinary diet, but it would seem that some of us need more lime, phosphorus or vitamin D in our diet than others. As you know some foods will cause hives and sometimes pimples in some and no disturbance whatever in the majority of individuals. These foods are handled differently by the working processes in the body.

Thus in these cases of dental decay or to prevent dental decay an extra supply of foods containing lime, phosphorus and vitamin D must be eaten.

The foods rich in lime are milk, cheese, leafy vegetables and egg yolk.

The foods rich in phosphorus are milk, cheese, egg yolk, meat, and whole grains.

Foods rich in vitamin D are butter, egg yolk, whole milk, liver, green vegetables and cod liver oil.

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Return to More Normal Taste in Books Is Seen

Miss Jessie McEwen, of Well-Known Toronto Publishing House, Introduces Women's Canadian Club Audience to "Caravan of Books"

The fact that a little book of nature essays by an English author could get full-page recognition in a journal of such importance as The New York Times may be taken as an index of a return, both on the part of writers and the reading public, to more normal, deliberate and thoughtful trends, in the opinion of Miss Jessie McEwen, well-known member of the editorial department of Thomas Nelson & Sons, Toronto.

Miss McEwen was the speaker at the meeting of the Women's Canadian Club held at the Empress Hotel yesterday afternoon. Under the title of "A Caravan of Books," she called attention to some of the phases in the procession of literature during the post-ward period, dealing in turn with children's books, fiction, the short story, Irish writers, travel books and biography before concluding with a more extended reference to Lawrence's "Seven Pillars of Wisdom." This much-reviewed and widely-commented upon work appeared, she thought, the outstanding representative of the serious type of book that had almost replaced the "turbulent, morbid and unhappy" literature that had poured off the press in the years immediately following the Great War.

"When the literary history of this present period is written and reviewed in retrospect, it will be found, I think, to rank favorably with other periods in literature. It is quite worth watching, and I am quite convinced that still better things are coming to us in the years to come," the speaker said, in her optimistic summing up.

TREMENDOUS OUTPOURING

With about 25,000 books of all classifications published in the world during the past year, selection of books for special comment was necessarily merely a matter of personal taste, Miss McEwen noted in her preamble. Travel books alone had multiplied tremendously during the last few years, this presumably due to the fact that people, after a hectic period of traveling, had again settled back to the writing and reading of books on the subject.

Among the fascinating books of travel was specially mentioned Kenneth Mackenzie's "Been Places and Seen Things," by a young man who took to writing after being deported from the United States for participating in a hunger march on Washington. Through his eyes one could see in Venezuela, Vancouver, Victoria, Russia and many other places things one would never see oneself visiting these places. Not long ago he had written 18,000 words on how to harvest in Saskatchewan.

Through Lawrence's "Seven Pillars of Wisdom," Miss McEwen had first seen the Arabs as a people with ideals, with a desire for freedom, rather as she had hitherto pictured them, "unreliable, dishonest and unneighborly." And the desert had been disclosed as a land with green oases, flowering, intimate, the background of friendly life.

BOOKS MENTIONED

Among the many books or authors mentioned were "Anthony Adverse," representative of the "panoramic" type; "Hostages to Fortune," dealing with very little things; "Crack of Doom," "Mary Peters," "Silas Crockett," "Devon Holiday" (Williamson), Charles Morgan's "The Fountain," "All Passion Spent," "Imperial Palace" (Arnold Bennett), and Pauline Smith's fascinating South African story for children. Pauline Smith, incidentally, received her inspiration to write from Arnold Bennett.

Eric Linklater's "Biography of Ben Johnson" was compared with some of the same author's later work, such as "God Likes Them Plain," which indicated that he might be "coming to the end of his nonsense" and thinking of doing some gentle, serious work.

The short-story field was reviewed through "Goodbye, Mr. Chips," some of Sheila Kay Smith, Katherine Mansfield, H. E. Bate, Katherine Foster, Manhood, and others; the Irish writers via O'Flaherty, P. O'Donnell, Margaret O'Leary, Shamus O'Neil; and one of the interesting young English autobiographers named was George Thomas, author of "Tenement in Soho."

Mrs. S. J. Willis presided, and, after the vote of thanks by Miss Eugenie Perry, presented the speaker with a copy of the club's "Pioneer Women of Vancouver Island" and a corsage bouquet. The soloist was Mrs. Arthur Dowell, who gave most charming interpretations of "Sing, Sweet Bird" and "Spring Is Coming." Mrs. Paul Green being the accompanist.

Twenty-Fifth Anniversary Is Observed

Mr. and Mrs. O. Guelpa, 2540 Fernwood Road, and formerly of Prince Rupert, received congratulations and best wishes from their friends on the occasion of their silver wedding, recently. On Friday evening, friends gathered and paid them a surprise visit, and the evening was spent playing cards and singing, the winners being Mrs. Davey, Mrs. Dyer, Mr. A. DeGirolamo, Mr. D. McAuley. The supper table was centred with a silver bowl of pink and white carnations, and with best wishes from all they were presented with an electric toaster. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. D. McAuley, Mrs. J. Dyer, Mr. and Mrs. W. Davey, Mr. and Mrs. A. DeGirolamo, Mr and Mrs. O. Guelpa, Mr. J. Corral, Mr. P. Bruno, Mr. O. Guelpa, Jr.; Misses M. Mossey and D. Guelpa.

On Saturday evening they were again feted, when over fifty friends gathered to express their good wishes. Five hundred was played and winners were Miss A. Delmastro, Mrs. J. Dyer, Mrs. A. Gilhamoulle; Miss B. Bianco, Mr. W. Davey and Mr. J. Bass. Mr. and Mrs. Guelpa were presented with a chest of Rogers silver, and also received small tokens of remembrance from friends in Prince Rupert. Supper was served by Mrs. E. Lerik, Misses M. Mossey, J. Bass, D. Guelpa and Mr. E. Dyer.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. Bass, Mr. and Mrs. W. Davey, Mr. and Mrs. D. Dilorio, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lorendi, Mr. and Mrs. P. Perullet, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bianco, Mr. and Mrs. L. Denoni, Mr. and Mrs. M. Moras, Mr. and Mrs. E. Rainaldi, Mr. and Mrs. D. Casillo, Mr. and Mrs. A. DeGirolamo, Mr. and Mrs. J. Delmastro, Mr. and Mrs. P. Gilhamoulle (Ladysmith); Mesdames H. Dyer, E. Lerik, M. Mossey and A. Segnani; Misses J. Bass, L. J., B. and I. Bianco, I. and A. Casillo, A. and M. Delmastro, M. Dilorio, T. and A. Moras, M. Mossey, J. Perullet, J. Trotter, D. Guelpa and M. Ruddock; Messrs. P. Bruno, A. DeGirolamo, R. Perullet, B. Macmurchie, H. Casillo, M. Dilorio, J. Zuick, A. McKeachie, J. Corral, E. Dyer, G. Andrews, L. Strom, O. Guelpa, Jr., A. Ramsay and N. Stuartson, and Master Albert Denoni.

The tangelo, the limequat and citrange are some of the most promising of fruits. The tangelo is a cross between athe tangerine and grapefruit; the limequat, a cross between the lime and kumquat, and the citrange, a hybrid of the sweet orange and trifoliate orange.

Happy Returns of the Day



Photograph by Robert Parr

This lovely baby girl is Shirley Elizabeth Corry, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Corry, 574 Hillside Avenue, and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Bryant, Rock Bay Avenue, and of Mrs. F. Corry, of the Highland District. The baby is a year old today.

Social and Personal

Join Club Tea

The Women's Canadian Club executive tea held in the Empress lounge yesterday afternoon following the meeting in the ballroom, was the rendezvous of an unusually large gathering of members and guests. Guest of honor were the speaker of the afternoon, Miss Jessie McEwen, of Toronto, and the soloist and her accompanist, Mrs. Arthur Dowell and Mrs. Paul Green respectively. Presiding at the prettily-appointed tea table were Mrs. William Ellis and Mrs. J. C. F. Hyndman, and members of the executive present included the president, Mrs. S. J. Willis, Mrs. James Adam, Mrs. Alfred Carmichael, Mrs. Norman Baker, Mrs. H. L. Campbell, Mrs. Charles Conyers, Mrs. T. A. Johnston, Mrs. Stuart Kenning and Miss Alma Russell. Others remaining included Mrs. R. B. Horton, Mrs. J. R. Nicolson, Mrs. H. Kiesow, Mrs. R. Wallace (Saskatoon), Mrs. Gilbert Christie, Mrs. Albert Sullivan, Mrs. C. Crummy, Mrs. Walter Englehardt, Mrs. H. O. English, Mrs. V. L. Denton, Mrs. R. W. Parry, Miss Staveley, Mrs. Darcus-Holder, Mrs. Arthur Bullock (Vancouver), Mrs. Godfrey Smith, Mrs. Fred Spencer, Mrs. T. Jones, Mrs. H. A. Sullivan (Yorkton), Miss V. Combe, Mrs. J. B. Munro, Miss M. McMullen, Mrs. B. C. Richards, Mrs. E. N. Horsey, Miss Maude Bruce, Mrs. Colin Cummins, Mrs. Squire Mitchell, Mrs. D. T. Irvine, Mrs. R. A. Ellis, Mrs. J. B. Taylor, Mrs. Walter Laing, Mrs. A. Taylor and Mrs. L. Carter.

Surprise Party

The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Adams, 821 Esquimalt Road, was the scene of a delightful surprise party recently, the occasion being the joint birthdays of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Adams. During the evening, a presentation of a dinner service was made and also a bouquet of red carnations for Mrs. Adams. Cards, housie-housie and music were enjoyed, after which refreshments were served. The self-invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. G. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. W. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kinsman, Mr. and Mrs. E. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. O. Quest, Mr. and Mrs. W. Palfry, Mr. and Mrs. Exton, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. E. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. W. Blaauw, Mr. and Mrs. R. Punt, Mr. and Mrs. K. Christensen, Mr. and Mrs. R. Sneddon, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Turner, Mr. and Mrs. E. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Emery, Mr. and Mrs. A. Cookman, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Horne, Mr. and Mrs. C. Bennett, Mesdames Smith, J. Young, A. Borrowman, E. Exton, J. Adams, A. Bennett, E. De Witt, St. Amand, A. Turner, Misses D. Cookman, L. Turner, D. Turner, I. Turner, V. Stewart, D. Gascoigne, V. Exton, M. Bennett, Messrs. W. Worth, J. Dunningan, A. Holmes, J. S. Horne, E. Cookman, M. Mitchell, F. W. Adams, C. E. Adams, J. Mellon, L. Clifford and A. Mycock.

Entertain Before Ball

Prior to the spinsters' ball, Miss Josephine Rithet entertained at a dinner party at her home on Newport Avenue last evening, when her guests were Miss Daphne Allen (Calgary), Miss Daphne Pooley, Miss Margaret Gaillher, Miss Pamela Charlewood, and Messrs. Jack Bryden, Don Campbell, A. Appleton, R. Tye and Tisdall. Another party met at the home of Mrs. E. G. Prior, St. Charles Street, when her niece, Miss Cynthia Johnston, and some of the lady guests entertained their men friends, those invited being Mrs. Woulfe Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. F. Skillings, Misses Helen Sweetland, Nan Hutton, Terese Todd, Margaret Vantreight, Frances Fraser, Kythe Mackenzie, Valerie Tye, Tita Hall, and Messrs. Jack Child, Jim Nesbitt, Stanley Williams, Kenneth Boorman, Jan McQueen, Cecil Brown, Chisholm Fraser, Bill Findley, Jack Cunningham and Jack Fleming.

Hostess at Empress

Mrs. F. M. MacPherson, wife of the Minister of Public Works, was hostess at tea yesterday afternoon at the Empress Hotel, following the opening of the Legislature, when her guests included the wives of the Cabinet Ministers and members of the Legislature and a few additional friends. The party was held in the ballroom foyer, which had been most beautifully decorated for the occasion, the fireplace banked with potted plants, forsythia and plum blossoms, while bowls of daffodils and narcissi adorned smaller tables about the room. The long tea table, spread with a pale green damask cloth, was centred with a bowl of daffodils, blue iris, maidenhair fern and pale pink primulae. Mrs. A. A. MacKinnon, Mrs. Arthur Dixon, Mrs. David Angus (Halifax) and Mrs. P. B. Scurrah poured tea and coffee.

Wives Entertained

Wives of some of the newspaper executives who have been here during the past few days for the regional conference of the Canadian Press were entertained at tea in the Empress Hotel lounge on Monday afternoon. Presiding at the tea table, with its attractive centrepiece of daffodils, were Mrs. J. L. Tait and Mrs. H. P. Hodges, and among others present were Mrs. W. L. MacTavish (Winnipeg), Mrs. J. S. Woodward (Saskatoon), Mrs. Charles L. Shaw (Vancouver), Mrs. Fred J. Workman (Moose Jaw). Mrs. Charles Swayne, Mrs. Archie Wills, Mrs. W. A. Patterson and Mrs. Alex T. Stewart.

Entertains Before Ball

Miss Dallas Homer Dixon was hostess at a cocktail party last night at her home on Belmont Avenue. Later the party attended the spinsters' ball at the Yacht Club. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Calvert, Miss Calla Goldsmith, Miss "Pat" Porter, Miss Peggy Hamilton, Miss Bey Doull, Miss Vera Sharland, Miss Beryl Nelson, Mr. "Pat" Parr, Mr. Kenneth Osler, Mr. Paul Taylor, Mr. Fred Pease, Mr. Clive Campbell, Mr. Randle Mathews and Mr. Charles Starrett.

Christening Ceremony

On Sunday afternoon, at St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church, Esquimalt, the christening fo the infant daughter of Commander G. C. Jones and Mrs. Jones was held at 3 o'clock, Rev. Alan Gardiner performing the ceremony. In baptism the baby received the names Helen Fordham, and the godmothers were the baby's aunt, Mrs. F. G. C. Wood, of Vancouver, and Mrs. W. Hobart Molson, while Mr. J. W. Spencer was godfather.

Dinner Given Before Dance

Mrs. S. A. Clarke entertained at a delightful dinner last evening at her home on King George Terrace, prior to the Spinsters' Ball given at the Royal Victoria Yacht Club. The table was prettily arranged with a centrepiece of daffodils and places were laid for Misses Patricia Pennock, Ardath Yardley, Eileen Regan, Betty Petch, and Messrs. Dick Stursberg, Kenneth Winsby, Goldwyn Terry and Hugh Farquhar.

Entertained Prior to Dance

Miss Jean Findlay entertained at a delightful informal party yesterday evening at her home on Estevan Avenue, prior to the Spinsters' Ball. Miss Findlay's guests included Miss Nan Eve, Miss Audrey Barnett, Miss Doreen Wilson, Miss Helen Sweetland, Mr. Grant Stewart, Mr. Monty Jones, Mr. James Douglas, Mr. Dick Muirhead and Mr. Jack Fleming.

Returns to Hospital

Miss Lily Barnes, 1250 Union Street, who met with an accident last Summer, has returned to the Jubilee Hospital, where she expects to be a patient for some time.

Entertains for Visitor

Miss Margaret Watson entertained at a delightful dinner at her home on Cavendish Avenue last evening in honor of her house guest, Miss Elizabeth Pitt, of Premier, B.C., who arrived in Victoria yesterday. Later in the evening Miss Watson and her guests went to the Spinsters' Ball at the Royal Victoria Yacht Club.

Informal Party

Miss Irene Williams entertained informally last evening at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Shaw, Victoria Avenue, prior to the Spinsters' Ball, when her guests included Miss Phyllis Williams, Miss Kathleen Burtt, Miss Rhoda Goward, and Messrs. Charles Aikenhead, John Gray, Harry Eke and Austin Goward.

Cocktail Party

A cocktail party was given at the home of the Misses Norah and Mona Kelpin, Irving Road, last night, prior to attending the spinsters' ball. Those at the party were Mr. and Mrs. G. W. LaCroix, Miss Maire Murphy, Miss Muriel Richards, Mr. George Fatt, Mr. Maurice J. Davis, Mr. Michael Kelpin and Mr. Ralph Mathews.

In Jamaica

Mr. E. B. Andros and his niece, Miss E. E. Goodman, who have been spending the Winter at Montego Bay, Good Hope and Mandeville, Jamaica, B.W.I., will sail via the Panama Canal per Royal Mail Co. Ms. Dinteldyk on February 28 for Los Angeles. From there they will motor to Victoria, arriving at the end of March.

Entertains Friends

Among those entertaining prior to the spinsters' ball last night was Miss Mildred Baxandall, when a number of friends gathered at her home, 28 Malborough Street. The guests included Miss Enid McConnell, Mr. Hugh Molyneaux, Miss Phyllis May, Mr. Harold McCaw, Miss Vivian Martin, Mr. Douglas Nixon, and Mr. Ronald Kay.

No-Host Party

A no-host cocktail party was held at the home of Miss Kay Forbes, Elford Street, last evening prior to the spinsters' ball. The guests included Miss Kate Parker, Miss Gladys McCall, Miss Dorothy Newman and Mr. Charles McNeill, Mr. Gordon Harris, Mr. Jack Parker and Mr. H. N. Dutcher (Vancouver).

Luncheon Planned

Wives of visiting delegates to the Canadian Infantry Association convention here will be entertained at luncheon tomorrow at 1:45 p.m. at the Union Club. The luncheon will be presided over by Mrs. Brooke Stephenson, wife of Colonel Stephenson, president of the militia order.

Dinner Hosts

Prior to the spinsters' ball last evening, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Acland entertained at dinner at their home on Beach Drive, when their guests included Misses Betsy McCallum, Miss Ione Acland, Miss Dorothy Hill, and Messrs. Ion Acland, Harry Barnes and Brian Renwick.

Informal Dinner

Prior to the spinsters' ball last night a small dinner party was held at the Belmont Tea Rooms, Island Highway. Covers were laid for Miss Helen Eve, Miss Marjorie Brown, Mr. Dick Airey and Mr. Mondie Christopher.

From Saskatoon

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Trotter, Master John Trotter and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Duncan, all of Saskatoon, have arrived to spend a few weeks here and are staying at the Oakbay Beach Hotel.

Move to Town

Mr. and Lady Emily Walker have disposed of their ranch at East Sooke and are now living at 1738 Leighton Avenue.

From Winnipeg

Mrs. Huxley, of Winnipeg, has arrived to spend a week at the Oakbay Beach Hotel.

From Winnipeg

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Manning, of Winnipeg, are registered at the Empress Hotel.

At Windermere Hotel

Mr. William L. Bonham and Mr. E. E. Westman, of Vancouver, are staying at the Windermere Hotel.

The grain in wood depends upon the width and density of the rings formed in the growth of the tree. Where the rings are wide the wood is coarse grained; where narrow, the wood is fine grained.

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS
By J. P. Alley



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Opening of Legislature Followed by Tea Party

Informality of Tea at Empress Hotel Draws Large Number of Guests—Majority of Ladies Wear Black

The opening of the Provincial Legislature was marked yesterday by the absence of formal entertaining of any kind, the customary State dinner and ball being dispensed with in accordance with the period of mourning for His Late Majesty King George V, but a large number of those who had attended the ceremony adjourned to the Empress Hotel for tea.

The tea tables in the main lounge were arranged with bowls of daffodils and mauve and pink tulips, a charming touch of color in the somewhat sombre surroundings, for the majority of the ladies wore black and violets predominated among the corsage bouquets worn by the wives of the Cabinet Ministers and members.

The orchestra, under the direction of Mr. William F. Tickle, played a delightful programme during the tea hour.

THE GUESTS

Among those noticed were Hon. Gordon M. Sloan and Mrs. Sloan, Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Young, Miss Rosalind Young, Miss Alison Chrow, Rt. Rev. H. E. Sexton and Mrs. Sexton, Miss King, Mrs. F. M. McNaughton, Mrs. M. J. Hatt, Mrs. Ian Mackinnon, Mrs. A. Hudson, Mrs. H. B. Stewart, Mrs. A. J. Watson, Mrs. C. H. French, Mrs. Shallcross, Mrs. David Doig, Captain Thorpe-Doubble, Brigadier-General Sir Charles Delme-Radcliffe, Mr. and Mrs. John Harmon Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Kaestner, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pope, Mrs. Drummond-Hay, Mrs. H. S. Drummond-Hay, Mrs. L. Ditchburn, Mrs. R. Ditchburn, Mrs. Hugo Carleson, Mrs. Stanley Peele, Mrs. Hugh Goulbourne, Mrs. George Burnes, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Cox, Mrs. R. A. Askey, Mrs. E. Jordan, Mrs. R. L. Cox, Mrs. I. M. Roger, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Allan, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Lethaby, Miss M. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Anscomb, Mrs. V. M. Gallon, Mrs. W. W. Macdonald, Miss K. Ward (Vancouver), Mrs. T. Cowden, Mr. G. R. Naden, Mrs. M. S. Wheatley, Mrs. A. E. Hodgins, Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Harper, Mr. R. H. Carson (Kamloops), Dean and Mrs. D. Buchanan (Vancouver).

Monsieur J. Van Rickstal, Consul-General for Belgium (Vancouver); Mr. and Mrs. Dugald Donaghy (Vancouver), Mr and Mrs. C. H. O'Halloran, Mr. W. S. Palmer, Mrs. A. R. McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones, Mrs. T. H. Johns, Rev. Dr. W. J. Sipprell, Mrs. E. I. W. Jardine, Mr., T. F. Robson, Mrs. Norman Cook, Miss E. Gordon, Mrs. M. M. McFarlane, Dr. J. Allen Harris, Mr. R. F. MacNaughton, Mr. L. E. Munn, Mr. A. T. Campbell, Mr. C. F. Planta; Mr. and Mrs. Willis J. West, Mr. R. V. Robinson, Mr. F. C. Brown, all of Vancouver.

Mrs. P. Walker, Mrs. H. M. Cassidy, Mrs. Allon Peebles, Mrs. F. Spencer, Mrs. W. J. Graham, Miss Willene Graham, Miss Barbara Gunderson, Mrs. Hildur Brydon (Edmonton), Mrs. J. B. Munro, Mrs. R. B. Horton, Mrs. R. W. Perry, Mrs. Arthur Bullock (Vancouver), Mrs. J. R. Kingham, Mrs. D. B. Martyn, Mrs. G. H. Kingham, Mrs. Walter Bapty, Mrs. Brooke Stephenson, Mrs. F. H. Lindsay, Mrs. H. M. McGivern, Mrs. Stuart Robertson, Mrs. R. D. Travis, Mrs. R. D. Harvey, Mrs. R. Mathews, Mrs. J. Stewart, Mrs. N. Van der Vliet, Mrs. W. Parker, Mrs. John A. Stewart, Mrs. J. Rockingham, Mrs. Cyril Wightman, Mrs. Church, Mrs. Bayliss, Mrs. Jack Horne, Mrs. Thomas Horne, Mrs. Cecil Luckhart.

Mrs. J. W. Duncan, Mrs. M. Cottet, Mrs. Gordon Smith, Mrs. P. E. Corby, Mrs. A. J. Maynard, Mrs. J. W. Hudson, Mrs. A. V. Pineo, Mrs. Owen Smith, Mrs. David Leeming, Mrs. Bruce Cash, Mrs. H. B. Jackson, Miss Leeming, Mayor David Leeming, Mr. M. E. Nichols (Vancouver), Mr. and Mrs. Bull (Kelowna), Major and Mrs. C. M. Roberts, Mrs. Sandham Graves, Mrs. R. H. Pooley, Miss Pooley, Mrs. Bruce Hutchison, Mrs. Arthur Walsh, Mrs. George Jay, Miss Clay, Miss McMullin, Miss V. Coombe, Miss Maude Bruce, Miss Alma Russell, Mrs. J. Watson, Mrs. A. D. King, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Barker and Mrs. W. Bell.

The cedars of Lebanon were the tallest trees known in Biblical times and references to them were on account of their height and strength.

Your Health and Your Weight

ADDICTION TO THE GLAND PRODUCT—THYROID EXTRACT

By JAS. W. BARTON, M.D.

One of the interesting things in nature is "hibernating," when the animal eats nothing and appears lifeless during the cold weather, only to "come to life" with the warm weather—healthy and strong. The animal lives on the fat of its body during the cold weather.

Research physicians tell us that the animal is able to lie practically "lifeless" because the thyroid gland in the neck decreases in size and sends little or no thyroid juice into the blood, so that the heart is not stimulated to strong action as when under the influence of thyroid juice; the pulse is much slower and weaker.

The fact that thyroid juice stimulates all the processes of the body to work faster is now so generally known that many overweight individuals are using it to burn or use up their surplus fat. And thyroid juice or extract is very helpful in those cases when the thyroid gland is not manufacturing enough juice to burn up a fair amount of the fat food or the fat on the body. Taken under the supervision of a physician, this type of overweight gets excellent safe results in reducing weight.

However, thyroid extract is not only a poor reducer of weight in the ordinary or non-gland type of overweight, but it has proven very dangerous; many deaths have resulted, and a large number of invalids are now paying the price of their efforts to take a "short cut" to weight reduction.

So great is the number of overweight individuals (estimated at one-fifth of the entire population) that any number of obesity (overweight) cures are on the market, a number of which contain thyroid extract. It is not to be wondered at, therefore, that thyroid extract is being used in larger quantities than ever before and that a great many overweights are using it regularly and often with harmful and alarming effects.

As other gland products are now coming into everyday use, it appears that just as the drug habit takes hold of a number of individuals, so the habit of taking gland products to stimulate various processes of the body is becoming widespread, much of which is not under the supervision of a physician. Thus Dr. S. W. Patterson, in The British Medical Journal, writes of the "Addiction to Endocrine Gland Extracts": "In the use of thyroid extract products, which he considers first, instances of ill effects from prolonged or poorly supervised use are numerous. The development of symptoms of hyperthyroidism (too much thyroid extract) is the most common of these complications—fast heart, trembling of the limbs, indigestion, sleeplessness. The especial danger of this is in prolonged self-administration, usually aimed at the treatment of obesity. The effect of the thyroid extract is to speed up the building-up and tearing-down processes of the body and the rate at which the food is transformed into energy, and it is easily understandable that there should be a certain tonic effect or increased feel of well-being." It was this desire to "feel good," to be "toned up," that was responsible for three of Dr. Patterson's cases using too much thyroid extract and causing symptoms of severe poisoning.

Dr. Patterson's article concludes: "It is the duty of medical men prescribing gland extracts to exercise proper supervision and control of their use by patients. Physicians should be aware of the possible dangers so that the drug may be stopped at once if ill effects arise."

The thought, then, is that, while thyroid extract has its place in medicine, it is only useful in the thyroid gland type of overweight, and then only under a physician's supervision. Taken even by the gland type without supervision might easily prove dangerous. Taken by the ordinary type of overweight (due to eating more food than is needed) it may produce the severe form of goitre or even death.

What Today Means

"PISCES"

If February 26 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 9:10 to 11:10 a.m., from 1:10 to 3:10 p.m., and from 8:10 to 10:10 p.m. The danger periods are from 7:10 to 9:10 a.m., from 11:10 a.m. to 1:10 p.m. and from 6:10 to 8:10 p.m.

Uncontrollable tempers this day will be more harmful to the people indulging in them than anyone else. The self-constituted dictator is likely to find that role a very trying one. In domestic, business or social affairs be careful not to take an arbitrary stand in regard to anything. Skepticism may prove costly. Avoid refusing to see callers, for they may have a message that is worthy of your consideration. Eliminate any personal feeling in matters calling for an unbiased opinion. Conditions are apt to be auspicious for meeting and interviewing strangers. This ought to be an excellent day for discussing and formulating plans for commercial and social activities. Married and engaged couples, as well as those who are in love, will find that sentimental thoughts, if vocally expressed, will make this a much happier day.

If a woman and February 26 is your birthday, you should take an interest in social activities. You probably have marvelous intuition. Your foresight will probably save you from a great deal of trouble. Your tactfulness is perhaps one of your greatest assets. You should be very popular, and much sought after. Do not mix sentiment with business, for this might involve you in a great deal of trouble. Never allow yourself to get into the habit of gossiping or criticizing the habits of your friends too freely, as you may be quoted too frequently for your own good. As a buyer, saleslady, interior decorator, artist, musician or author you may attract favorable attention. Your chances for happiness are much greater as a married woman than if you remain single.

The child born on February 26 by the time it arrives at school age, probably will be either very musically or mechanically inclined. This youngster is apt to have some decided talent, which should be developed.

If a man and February 26 is your natal day, do not be afraid to trust your own judgment. You will probably have to learn to be aggressive, and how to say "no" to friends who try to impose on your good nature. As an engineer, architect, builder, actor, amusement promoter, writer or industrial worker your results should be highly gratifying.

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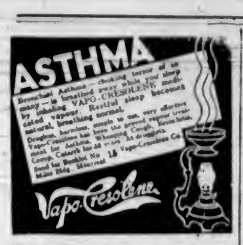
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QUATSINO LOGGING WILL START SOON

QUATSINO, Feb. 21 (By Mail).—The British Columbia Pulp & Paper Company's logging department has established a camp at the head of the South East Arm for the purpose of building a logging road into the timber limits in that sector.

Emil Stevenson's logging camp will soon be starting operations again. Mr. Stevenson already has a small crew at work getting the camp ready to operate.

For more than the past two weeks, Quatsino has enjoyed very good weather. It has been clear and sunny all the time. Although it was considered cold here, it has really been warm in comparison to other places. The official weather recorder tells us that the lowest th. mercury went was to eighteen above.

CHEMAINUS KNIGHTS ENTERTAIN VISITORS

CHEMAINUS, Feb. 25.—K. of P. Lodge, No. 60, held a most enjoyable meeting and banquet on Saturday evening when they were hosts to the grand chancellor of the domain of British Columbia, Sherwell M. Ward, of North Bend, together with several Grand Lodge officers and members from the Vancouver lodges.

It had been intended that some sixty Vancouver members make the trip, but, owing to the inclement weather, only twenty-seven Mainland guests were present.

Official welcome was extended the visitors by Chancellor Commander Ed Perry, responded to by Grand Chancellor Ward, Deputy Supreme Chancellor B. Slough and Brother Harper. Addresses were also given by Brother Lupton, of Vancouver, and Brother Slater, of Kamloops.

Watermelons weighing approximately 136 pounds have been cultivated in the United States. However, in Turkestan melons weighing 275 pounds have been grown.

GIVES WARNING TO LAW-MAKERS

Speakers at Kiwanis Club Luncheon Refer to Live Questions

Owing to the fact that Major D. R. McLaren, D.S.O., who was to have addressed the Kiwanis Club yesterday, could not be present, Byron Johnson, M.P.P., and Leo Sweeney, of Vancouver, were the speakers. Both had spent their boyhood days in Victoria and played lacrosse and Rugby. They took the position that Victoria should give attention to the restoration of sport in a larger way than it was doing.

Mr. Johnson, as a member of the Legislature for this city, stressed the need for better terms for Vancouver Island, and agreed that there was much to be said on behalf of the move. In this connection, he spoke of the seven or eight large mills on the Mainland that were manufacturing lumber, practically all brought from Vancouver Island. He felt, therefore, that the Island was not getting all it should, and perhaps should press its demands.

WARNS LAW MAKERS

Mr. Sweeney voiced a warning that legislators go carefully with regard to some of the things like health insurance and minimum wage matters. In this respect, he pointed out that his firm was engaged on the Mainland, and in Victoria, manufacturing barrels for the world trade. They shipped barrels in parts to Great Britain and practically every part of the Empire. Fifty per cent of the trade was export, he said.

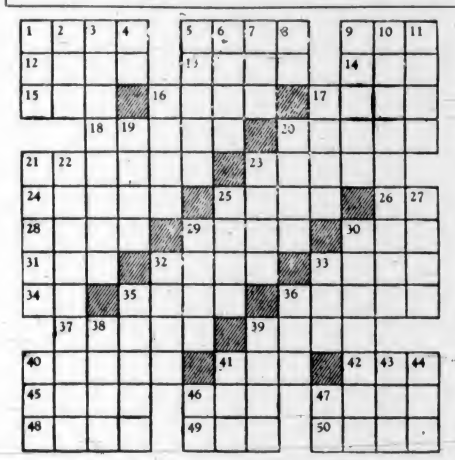
Some of these things, like health insurance, were very good in their way, but he pointed out in the export business it was impossible to pass costs on to the importer. When borne locally additional costs meant a handicap in the matter of competition in world trade. Care should be exercised by legislators in such matters.

ADVOCATE ARENA

With regard to the encouraging of sport, Mr. Johnson advised Victoria to get an arena for games and encouraged the idea of taking up lacrosse and "boxla," which was proving so popular in Vancouver and New Westminster.

E. H. M. Foot suggested it would be a good thing for the Kiwanians, the Rotarians and the Gyros to join forces in the direction of getting an arena started here.

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

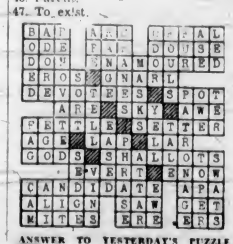


ACROSS

1. Strongly desirous.
5. Affirmation.
9. Adage.
12. Game.
13. Loyal.
14. Shade.
15. Boring Tool.
16. Conjunction.
17. To weary.
18. To bring in.
20. Kind of type.
21. To learn thoroughly.
23. Earliest form of violin.
24. Negative: ion.
25. Slashes.
26. Italian article.
28. Molten rock.
29. Weights.
30. Enemy.
31. Beverage.
32. Assassin.
33. Tipster.
34. Artificial language.
35. Sly look.
36. Garment.
37. Open space in wood.
39. Brims.
40. Instrument faces.
41. Domestic animal.
42. Article.
45. Nerve group.
46. Play on words.
47. To endure.
48. Belgian river.
49. Duration.
50. Border.

DOWN

1. S. American river.
2. Pledge.
3. Deceptive.
4. Colloquial: to cheat.
5. Else.
6. Sandarac tree.
7. Lazer barrel.
8. Pronoun.
9. Dishonor.
10. Spirited.
11. To fancy.
16. At that time.
17. Chores.
19. Portico.
20. Steeps.
21. Pertaining to jaw.
22. Similarities.
23. Step.
25. Sudden stroke.
27. Lithuanian.
29. Old pronoun.
30. Palmed off.
32. Spreads.
33. Faucet.
35. More wan.
36. Peruke.
38. Recent.
39. Solitary.
40. Arid.
41. Embrace.
44. Before.
46. Parent.
47. To exist.



ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

Listen In Tonight at 8:15

Chiropractors Discuss Proposed Health Insurance

CKMO, 1,410 Kcys.

Dragon-Like Bones Found by Chinese



—Central Press Photo.

A twenty-foot skeleton with huge horns on its skull, as depicted in the above photograph, was washed up on the shore of Lunghow, Shantung Province, China, recently. The Chinese natives believe the bones are the remains of one of the devouring, fire-breathing dragons that roam through their legends and are used in effigy in their rituals. So far, experts have not identified the skeleton.

AROUND the DIAL

TODAY

11:00 a.m.—Harold Morris, composer-pianist, will be heard in a performance of his own work, "Sonata in E Flat," with Eddy Brown, violinist, during the "Music Guild" programme over the N.B.C.-red network.—KOMO.

11:30 a.m.—The Sierra Nevada Mountains will be described during the "School of the Air" programme.—KOL, KVI.

1:00 p.m.—Beethoven's "Septette in E Flat Major, Opus 20" and "Pastorale," for string orchestra and piano, by Gian-Carlo Menotti, will constitute the programme by the artist-students of the Curtis Institute of Music over the Columbia network.—KOL, KVI.

6:00 p.m. — Rimsky - Korsakoff's "Song of India," McHugh's "With All My Heart," and Procha's difficult Theme and Variations" will be sung by Lily Pons during her recital with Andre Kostelanetz' Orchestra and chorus over the Columbia network.—KOL, KVI, KSL.

6:30 p.m.—Ray Noble's Orchestra, with Connie Boswell, Al Bowlly and the Freshmen, in a half-hour of dance music in the distinctive Noble manner.—KOL, KVI, KSL.

7:00 p.m.—John Charles Thomas, baritone, in N.B.C. recital, with Frank Tours' Orchestra, will be heard singing Davies' "Home"; Burleigh's "Just You"; Leoncavello's "Mattinata"; Mendelssohn's "It Is Enough," from "Elijah"; Kellog's "Shiela"; Moussorgsky's "The Flea," and Hall Johnson's "Steal Away."—KOMO.

7:00 p.m.—The foremost Indian "moose callers" of Nova Scotia, leading trout fishermen and prominent deer guides will tell the inside story of hunting and angling during this special N.B.C.-blue network feature.—KJR.

7:45 p.m.—More popular "Strange as It Seems" items will be dramatized by John Hix.—KOL, KVI.

9:00 p.m.—The Colonist news.—CFCT.

9:00 p.m.—With Jack Benny playing the violin and Fred Allen the clarinet, and with Portland Hoffa and Mary Livingstone standing by to assist, the Sunday night comedian will pay his deferred visit to the "Town Hall Tonight" programme.—KOMO.

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (1450 Keys.)

7:30 a.m.—Rise and Shine.
8:00 a.m.—Timely Topics.
8:30 a.m.—Musical Chronometer.
9:00 a.m.—Let's Go Places with Eric Marshall.
9:15 a.m.—Morning Moods.
8:30 a.m.—Hugh Allen's Financial Flashes.
8:40 a.m.—Memory Album.
10:00 p.m.—Road to Happiness.
10:15 a.m.—Fiesta.
10:30 a.m.—Art Farey at the Piano.
11:00 a.m.—Music in the Air.
11:15 a.m.—Gladwyn Nichols, cornetist.
11:30 a.m.—Concert Music Box.
12:00 noon—Today's Tempo.
12:15 p.m.—World Bookman. "Where Is the Most Powerful Group of Men in the World?"
12:20 p.m.—Ten Tuneful Minutes.
12:30 p.m.—CFCT World Flashes.
12:45 p.m.—Midday Musicals.
1:00 p.m.—Daily Monitor.
5:30 p.m.—Birthday Party.
6:00 p.m.—Dancing Time.
8:30 p.m.—Music Lovers' Corner.
7:00 p.m.—Sundown.
7:30 p.m.—Piano Sketches. Eric Edwards.
7:45 p.m.—Gladwyn Nichols.
8:00 p.m.—Artists' Corner. Alice Parker.
8:15 p.m.—Evening Musicals.
8:30 p.m.—Rendezvous.
9:00 p.m.—Colonist Radio Reporter.

CRCV, Vancouver, B.C. (1100 Keys.)

5:00 p.m.—Do You Remember?
5:30 p.m.—See CRC Network.

KNX, Hollywood, Cal. (1050 Keys.)

8:30 p.m.—Tudor Williams and orchestra.
8:45 p.m.—Jimmie Allen's Air Adventures.
7:00 p.m.—Elmer Goes to Hollywood.
7:15 p.m.—Campaign Talks.
7:30 p.m.—In-Laws, comedy sketch.
7:45 p.m.—The King Cowboys.
8:00 p.m.—Frost Warnings.
8:05 p.m.—Musical Programme.
8:15 p.m.—Lucca's Concert Orchestra.
8:45 p.m.—Musical Programme.
9:00 p.m.—News Service.
8:15 p.m.—Musical Moments.
8:30 p.m.—The Crockett Family.
10:30 p.m.—Haven of Rest.
11:00 p.m.—Pete Pontrelli's Orchestra.
11:45 p.m.—KNX Trans-Pacific News.

CANADIAN RADIO COMMISSION NETWORK

5:30 p.m.—News (British Columbia Network).
5:30 p.m.—Acadian Serenade, directed by Marjorie Payne (British Columbia 5:45).
8:00 p.m.—Road to Yesterday, Toronto.
8:30 p.m.—Alfred Wallenstein Sinfonietta, M.B.S.-N.Y.
7:00 p.m.—Club Thirteen, directed by Jascha Galperin, soloists, Calgary.
7:30 p.m.—Mart Kennedy's Seven Western Gentlemen, Vancouver.
7:45 p.m.—Canadian Press News and Weather.
8:00 p.m.—Time Signal.
8:00 p.m.—Ezio Pinza and Romanelli's King Edward Hotel Orchestra, Toronto.
8:30 p.m.—I Cover the Waterfront, Pat Terry, Vancouver (Western Network).
8:45 p.m.—Woodhouse and Hawkins, in Nitwit Court, Calgary (Western Network).
9:00 p.m.—Maids and Middies, vocal, directed by Elizabeth Morrison, Saskatoon (Western Network).
9:30 p.m.—The Little Orchestra, Regina (Mountain Network).
9:45 p.m.—Night Wind, Cyril Hampshire, organist, Regina (Mountain Network).
10:00 p.m.—Starlight, orchestra and soloist directed by Percy Harvey, Vancouver (British Columbia Network).
10:30 p.m.—News (British Columbia Network).

N.B.C.-KPO NETWORK

(KHQ, KGW, KFI, KPO, KOMO)

8:00 a.m.—Norross Sisters, vocal trio.
8:15 a.m.—Moods.
8:30 a.m.—Ted White, tenor.
8:45 a.m.—Twin City Foursome.
9:00 a.m.—Edna Fischer, pianist.
9:15 a.m.—Honeyboy and Sassafras.
8:30 a.m.—Merry Madcaps.
8:45 a.m.—Jules Lande and Ensemble.
10:00 a.m.—Federation of Women's Clubs.
10:30 a.m.—Gene Beecher's Orchestra.
11:00 a.m.—N.B.C. Music Guild.
11:30 a.m.—Rosa Lee, soprano.
11:45 a.m.—Dandies of Yesterday.
12:00 noon—Forever Young, sketch.
12:15 p.m.—Ma Perkins, dramatic.
12:30 p.m.—Vic and Sade, household comedy.
12:45 p.m.—The O'Neils, dramatic.
1:00 p.m.—Betty and Bob, dramatic.
1:15 p.m.—Gene Arnold's Ranch Boys.
1:30 p.m.—Girl Alone, drama.
1:45 p.m.—Betty Marlowe and Musical Revue.
2:00 p.m.—Concert Hour, directed by Ceasre Sodero.
2:30 p.m.—Hazel Warner, contralto; Charles Runyan, organist, Col. Rod.
2:45 p.m.—Terri La Franconi, tenor.
3:00 p.m.—Woman's Magazine of the Air.
4:00 p.m.—Easy Aces, comedy.
4:15 p.m.—Willard Flashman, flautist.
4:30 p.m.—Harold Dana, baritone.
4:45 p.m.—Lansendorf Pictorial, Rush Hour.
5:00 p.m.—One Man's Family, by Carlton Morse.
5:30 p.m.—Musicale, Beaux Arts Trio.
6:00 p.m.—Corn Cob Pipe Club of Virginia.
6:30 p.m.—Warden Lewis E. Lawes, 20,000 Years in Sing Sing, drama.
7:00 p.m.—John Charles Thomas, Frank Tours' Orchestra.
7:30 p.m.—Winning the West. Samuel Dixon, drama.
8:00 p.m.—Amos 'n' Andy.
8:15 Lum and Abner, comedy.
8:30 p.m.—The Rendezvous Musical, Irene Beasley, Phil Duey, Men About Town, Ward Wilson, Clyde Lucas' Orchestra.
8:00 p.m.—Town Hall Tonight, Fred Allen, Portland Hoffa, Peter Van Steeden's Orchestra.
10:00 p.m.—News Flashes, Sam Hayes.
10:15 p.m.—Tom Coakley's Orchestra.
10:30 p.m.—Eddie Fitzpatrick, Jr., and orchestra.
11:00 p.m.—Velez and Yolanda's Orchestra.
11:30 p.m.—Jimmie Grier's Orchestra.

N.B.C.-KGO BLUE NETWORK

(KGO, KJR, KEX, KECA, KGA)

8:00 a.m.—Honeymooners, Graca and Eddie.
8:15 a.m.—Homespun.
8:30 a.m.—United States Army Band, Director Captain T. F. Darcy.
9:00 a.m.—Simpson Boys of Sprucehead Bay, sketch.
8:15 a.m.—The Sophisticates.
9:45 a.m.—Beaux Arts Trio.
10:30 a.m.—Dandies of Yesterday, male quartette.
10:45 a.m.—Dot and Will, Fannie Kilbourna stories.
11:00 a.m.—Words and Music, music and narrator.
12:00 noon—Western Farm and Home Hour, speakers.
1:00 p.m.—Woman's Radio Review.
1:30 p.m.—United States Navy Band Symphony Orchestra.
2:00 p.m.—Drama of Long Ago, Vasa Trio.
2:30 p.m.—Larry Larsen, organist.
2:45 p.m.—Conarss Hotel Orchestra.
3:00 p.m.—Animal News Club.
3:15 p.m.—Mary Small, songs.
3:25 p.m.—Carl Kalash, violinist.
3:30 p.m.—Musical Moments.
3:33 p.m.—Jackie Heller, songs.
4:00 p.m.—Totten on Sports.
4:15 p.m.—Concert Orchestra.
4:45 p.m.—Songs of the Harp.
5:15 p.m.—Harry Stanton, basso.
5:30 p.m.—Pair of Pianos.
5:30 p.m.—Bill, Mack and Jimmie (KGO).
5:45 p.m.—Jack Armstrong, drama (KGO).
8:00 p.m.—Cross Cuts from Log o' the Day.
6:30 p.m.—Agriculture Today, Jenninas Pierce (KGO).
8:45 p.m.—Air Adventures of Jimmy Allen, drama (KGO).
8:45 p.m.—Cliff Nazarro, tenor.
7:00 p.m.—Through Eyes of Youth, drama.
7:00 p.m.—Popeye the Sailorman, comedy (KGO).
7:15 p.m.—To Be Announced (KGO).
7:30 p.m.—Gems of Color.
8:00 p.m.—Californians on Parade, narrative (KGO).
8:00 p.m.—Dorothy Lamour, songs.
8:15 p.m.—El Chico Spanish Revue.
8:30 p.m.—The O'Malleys (KGO).
8:30 p.m.—Enoch Light's Orchestra.
8:00 p.m.—Shandor, violinist.
9:08 p.m.—Joe Rines' Orchestra.
9:30 p.m.—Enric Madriguera's Orchestra.
10:00 p.m.—Griff Williams' Orchestra.
10:30 p.m.—Del Courtney's Orchestra.
11:00 p.m.—Paul Carson, organist.

CBS.-DON LEE NETWORK

(KVI, KPRC, KOIN KSL, KOL)

8:30 a.m.—Just Plain Bill, sketch.
8:45 a.m.—Rich Man's Darling, drama.
9:00 a.m.—Voice of Experience, human problems.
9:15 a.m.—Musical Reveries, Stuart Churchill.
9:30 a.m.—Story of Mary Marlin, dramatic.
9:45 a.m.—Five Star Jones.
10:00 a.m.—Hostess Counsel, Mothers' Forum, Meredith Moulton.
10:30 a.m.—Pete Woolery and orchestra.
10:45 a.m.—The Tell Sisters, vocal.
11:00 a.m.—Between the Bookends, Ted Malone.
11:30 a.m.—School of Air, Geography, the Sierra Nevadas and the Big Trees.
12:00 noon—Al Roth Presents (KOL).
12:30 p.m.—National Student Federation (KOL).
12:45 p.m.—Gogo DeLys, contralto (KVI).
1:00 p.m.—Curtis Institute of Music (KVI).
2:00 p.m.—Al Trace's Orchestra.
2:15 p.m.—Clyde Barrie, baritone.
2:30 p.m.—String Orchestra.
2:45 p.m.—The Goldbergs, Gertrude Berg, drama.
3:00 p.m.—Feminine Fancies (Don Lee).
3:30 p.m.—Minute Melodies (Don Lee).
3:35 p.m.—Beth Grainer, concert pianist (KVI).
4:00 p.m.—Buck Rogers, serial drama.
4:15 p.m.—Al Roth's Orchestra.
4:45 p.m.—University of California Programme (Don Lee).
5:00 p.m.—Cavalcade of America, drama.
5:30 p.m.—Marcus Gordon (Don Lee), (KVI, 5:35).
5:45 p.m.—For Woman Only (Don Lee).
8:00 p.m.—Lily Pons, soprano; Andre Kostelanetz Orchestra and chorus.
8:30 p.m.—Ray Noble's Orchestra, Connie Boswell, Al Bowlly.
7:00 p.m.—Gang Busters, Phillips Lord drama.
7:30 p.m.—March of Time, dramatised news.
7:45 p.m.—Strange As It Seems (Don Lee).
8:00 p.m.—Myrt and Marge, dramatic.
8:15 p.m.—Paris Night Life.
8:30 p.m.—Burns and Allen, comedians.
9:00 p.m.—Georas Olsen's Orchestra.
8:15 p.m.—Jimmy Bittick's Orchestra (Don Lee).
9:30 p.m.—Harry Halstead's Orchestra (KSL).
8:30 p.m.—Sterling Young's Orchestra (Don Lee).
10:00 p.m.—Jimmy Bittick's Orchestra (Don Lee).
10:30 p.m.—Larry Lee's Orchestra (Don Lee).
10:45 p.m.—Sterling Young's Orchestra (Don Lee).
11:00 p.m.—Jimmy Dorsey's Orchestra (Don Lee).
11:30 p.m.—Ted Dawson's Orchestra.

DEALERS VIEW 1936 DESIGNS

Canadian General Electric Company Entertains at Dinner Meeting

More than forty salesmen, saleswomen and dealers sat down to a dinner given by the management of the Canadian General Electric Company, Ltd., Monday night. The dinner was for the purpose of allowing the General Electric dealers an opportunity of seeing, at close range, the new and revolutionary electrical appliances which will make their bow to Victoria around the first of March.

H. C. Darroch, manager of the home appliance division of the British Columbia General Electric Company, was in the chair. G. R. Wright, British Columbia district manager for the General Electric Company, gave an interesting address on the electrical industry and welcomed the members of the Victoria organizations to the meeting. Mr. Wright struck the keynote of co-operation in his speech.

Other speakers included F. F. McKitrick, merchandise manager of B.C. Electric Co., who outlined the many contributions which the General Electric Company had made to the electrical industry and the amazing degree of perfection which purchasers of electrical apparatus enjoyed today as compared with the cruder forms of electrical conveniences of only a very few years ago.

NEED CO-OPERATION

George MacDonald, manager of Jameson's Electric, Ltd., stressed the need for close co-operation between the dealers and the General Electric Company. Mr. MacDonald paid tribute to the fine job the General Electric Company had done in the past and spoke with confidence of an ever-increasing public acceptance of their products.

During the evening, Herbert Sabliston, manager of the Douglas Street store of the B.C. Electric, was presented with a special prize which he had won during the past year for outstanding window displays in his company's store.

T. M. Meyers, advertising manager of the B.C. Electric, spoke on the advertising plans of his company and the type of co-operation which they received from the General Electric. Peter Skrimshire, assistant to Mr. Meyers, was also present and took a keen interest in the advertising and sales promotion presentations.

A. E. Ormsby, in charge of refrigerator and "Hotpoint" appliance sales for General Electric, assisted by Gordon Stephens, presented the new 1936 line of "Flat-Top" refrigerators. The exceptional beauty and engineering qualities of these newest additions to the General Electric line of refrigerators were enthusiastically received by those present. Mr. Ormsby stressed the fact that these new refrigerators possessed the same low operating cost and guaranteed trouble-free sealed-in steel mechanism which the popular monitor tops featured.

NEW RANGES

H. C. Darroch, assisted by Gordon Stephens, presented the new line of floor-type "Hotpoint" ranges. These ranges, stated Mr. Darroch, possessed all the advanced features including the exclusive inconel sheathing on the calrod elements and automatic controls, etc. Their outstanding characteristic, besides their beauty and utility, was the fact that they were guaranteed to reduce operating costs over all other makes by at least 25 per cent.

Gordon Stephens, of the MacLaren Advertising Company, Ltd., of Toronto, who handles General Electric advertising in British Columbia, spoke on the subject of the General Electric Company's 1936 advertising and sales promotion plans. During the course of his address, Mr. Stephens showed a number of lantern slides illustrating the actual newspaper and magazine advertisements which will appear during the coming season. It was stated that during 1936 the General Electric Company will spend a larger amount of money than at any other time on the promotion of its merchandise. This is due to the company's confidence in the fast-improving business outlook in Canada.

Charles H. Ireland, Vancouver Island manager for General Electric, spoke of the wonderful confidence the dealers placed in him and the exceptional co-operation which he received at all times. Mr. Ireland stated that it was with a deep sense of gratitude that he noticed the enthusiastic response and interest shown by the dealers and salesmen and women present.

Mr. Darroch closed the meeting with an invitation to those present to stay and examine the merchandise at close range for as long as they wished.

India's silver holdings equal about one-third of all the silver mined in the world since 1492.

End Bad Cough Quickly, at One Fourth the Cost

Home-Mixed! No Cooking! Easy!

Thousands of housewives have found that, by mixing their own cough medicine, they get a much more effective remedy. They use a recipe at only one-fourth the usual cost of cough medicine, but which really breaks up distressing coughs in a hurry.

From any druggist get 2½ ounces of Pinex. Pour this into a 16 ounce bottle and add granulated sugar syrup to fill the bottle. The syrup is easily made with 2 cups sugar and 1 cup water, stirred a few moments until dissolved. No cooking needed. It's no trouble at all, and makes a really effective remedy. Keeps perfectly and children love its taste.

Its quick action in loosening the phlegm, helping to clear the air passages and soothing away irritation, has caused it to be used universally throughout Canada.

Pinex is a compound containing Norway Pine in concentrated form, well known for its effect on throat membranes. Money refunded if it does not please you in every way.

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Check These for Savings

Wednesday Store Hours, 9 A.M. to 1 P.M.

Women's Print Home Frocks

Clearance of broken lines from 79c and $1 stocks. Neat tubfast prints in floral, figured and polka dot patterns. Sizes from 34 to 42 — **59c**

Women's Interlock Combinations

Knee length, round neck and short sleeves; also women's waffle-knit combinations with built-up straps — **79c**

Formerly to 79c Ladies' Undies

Serviceable Egyptian cotton Interlock knit. Cuffed panties, knickers and vests with built-up straps. White, pastels. Motif trim — **50c**

Women's All-Wool Combinations

Formerly to $2.95. 1 x 1 rib all-wool combs, including a few of Harvey make. Knee and ankle length; short sleeves or straps. Small, medium, large — **1.69**

Women's Dress Oxfords

Just 50 Pairs—Sizes 4 to 9—Regular $2.98

Oxford Ties with Cuban leather heels. In black and brown. You'll have to shop early, or you'll be disappointed! Sale — **1.98**

Full-Fashioned Silk Hose

Light service-weight in a splendid group of shades. Firsts and subs of a higher-priced line. All sizes — **59c**

Ladies' Scarfs, for Only . . .

Yes, in this group you will actually find some AMAZING values! Shaped silk Ascots, woollen scarfs and triangles. Good colors — **39c**

Check These Notion Savings

RAYON BRASSIERES — Good fitting, trimmed. Peach and pink. Limited quantity — **25c**

HOSE SUPPORTERS — Rayon-faced elastic; strong fittings. 2 lengths. Pair — **14c**

IRONING BOARD COVERS — Sturdy unbleached cotton — **21c**

DISH MOPS AND DUSTERS — Dish Mops and Scouring Brush, complete; also Black Dusters with wooden handles — **10c**

Quality Stationery Low Priced

MEMORIAL PLAQUES — Beautiful Colored Picture Plaques of our late Majesty King George V. Lacquered finish. Size 6 x 8 — **65c**

QUALITY STATIONERY — Linen Finish Notepaper and Envelopes. Boxed, with portrait of late King George V . . . suitable for framing — **59c**

"Bay" Street Floor

Extra Large White Bath Towels

Admiralty Quality—Limit, 5 to a Customer

Slight imperfections that are scarcely noticeable. They're fluffy, thick and very absorbent. Red borders. Each — **37c**

Regular 1.95 Boys' Long Trousers

Grey Flannel Pants in sizes 10, 11 and 12 years; fawn corduroy in sizes 10 to 13 years. Pair — **1.00**

Reg. 2.95 and 3.95 Boys' Long Trousers

Kelsall and Kemp's All-Wool Grey Flannels and tan and grey fancy tweeds. Sizes 9 to 13 years — **1.95**

Reg. 1.50 and 1.95 Boys' English Shorts

All-wool first-quality tweeds and grey flannels. Odds and ends taken from regular stock. Full lined. Sizes 4-14 — **95c**

Men's Fancy Wool Socks

Size 11 only! Samples and seconds of higher-priced lines. Lisle reinforced heels and toes. Special — **25c**

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Regular $3.95! 28 suits only! Medium-weight rib wool. Short or long sleeves; ankle length. Reduced to clear at — **1.95**

38-Inch Washable Satin

Shimmering, softly-draping satin in a wide range of lovely shades—ivory, rose pink, peach, turquoise, black, etc. Yard — **85c**

Remnants

Choice lengths of silks, cottons and woollens going on sale Wednesday at **HALF PRICE**

"Bay" Street Floor

Beauty Parlor Special

For Wednesday morning shoppers...we offer a Refreshing Shampoo and Finger Wave at a special price. Use your charge account, it's convenient!

"Bay" Mezzanine Floor

Suggestions for Coughs and Colds

HBC Cough Lozenges, box — 23c
Rowntree's Pastilles, ¼-lb box, 23c
CBQ Tablets — 25c
Vapex for head colds — 89c
Tussol for Bronchial Colds — 23c
Frosst's 217 Tablets, 35c, 75c and — $1.50
Syrup of Tar and Cod Liver Oil — 39c
Wampole's Extract Cod Liver Oil for — $1.00
Scott's Emulsion — 19c and 89c
Devilbiss Nasal Atomizers — $1.25

"Bay" Street Floor.

She was one of those women who always present a woefully untidy appearance during the early part of the day. In vain had her husband remonstrated with her, and it was not until aid came from an unexpected quarter that victory was his.

They had removed to a new house on the previous day, and when she answered the summons of the front door bell a woman awaited her.

"Oh, I'm too late!" sighed the woman. "I called to see if the missus wanted a charwoman, but I see she's suited."

MARINE, RAIL and AIR

TELLS ABOUT AMBER LIGHT

Engineer Says Motorists Drive With Safety Through Fog in Washington

VANCOUVER, Feb. 25 (C.P.).—Amber light, which will, it is claimed, revolutionize safe driving in the thickest fog, and other wonders of modern light science, were described today by J. W. Bateman, young Canadian lighting engineer, on his arrival here from Toronto.

Mr. Bateman is here to advise the Vancouver Jubilee Society in its problems of lighting Stanley Park and other civic centres for the coming jubilee celebrations.

Amber light, he asserted, is thrown from horizontal sodium lamps and is widely used on highways through the State of Washington. Autoists who formerly crept along when fog prevailed, now drive at normal speeds but with their lights out, giving the sensation of driving through a lighted tunnel.

For city streets, however, lighting engineers have developed the high intensity mercury vapor lamp, he said, which throws a soft white light of much greater intensity than the modern incandescent lamp in common use. Lower current costs, Mr. Bateman believes, will soon make these lamps universally popular.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC

FUEL ALLOWED GREEK VESSEL

Freighter Bound for Genoa Obtains Bunker at Nova Scotia Port

GLACE BAY, N.S., Feb. 25 (C.P.).—Laden with scrap iron for Italy, the Greek freighter Tasis was bound today for Genoa after being permitted to take on sufficient fuel to complete her voyage from New York.

The Tasis was the second Italy-bound ship permitted to take bunker in Cape Breton since Canada imposed sanctions on the warring Fascist state. The freighter Farnham, also carrying scrap iron, was allowed by instructions from Ottawa last November to take on sufficient coal to carry through to her Italian destination.

FOREIGN CURRENCIES COMPILED ON BASIS OF CANADIAN DOLLAR

MONTREAL, Feb. 25 (C.P.).—British and foreign exchange closed easier.

Belgium, belga, .1702; Brazil, milreis, .0574; China, Hongkong dollar, .3300; France, franc, .0675; Germany, reichsmark, .0460.

Great Britain, pound, 4.9687; Japan, yen, .2915; New Zealand, pound, 4.0244; Norway, krone, .2508.

South Africa, pound, 4.9653; Spain, peseta, .1382; United States, dollar, ⅛ of 1 per cent discount.

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SHIPYARDS OF GERMANY BUSY

Builders Secure Large Orders for New Tonnage on Barter Accounts

Among Continental shipbuilders, none is doing better than Germany, states The Manchester Journal of Commerce. The latest figures, indeed, indicate that the German shipyards are enjoying a state of activity comparable with those in Great Britain. As much as 400,000 tons of new shipping are reported to be under construction, while since October last 160 vessels or 130,000 tons have been booked by German firms, of which, it is important to note, 97,000 tons are for foreign account.

The latter, as is well known, are mainly the result of barter contracts or orders placed to release frozen credits, as in the case of the valuable batch of Unilever contracts recently secured. How much German shipbuilding has improved by the receipt of these orders, largely from foreign owners, may be judged from Lloyd's Register return for the quarter ending June 30 last, which showed that the total tonnage on the stocks was then 237,000 tons, so that between then and now there has been an increase of 163,000 tons.

As a matter of fact, the improvement began in Germany before it was felt in British yards, and it has continued at a progressive rate since the middle of the past year. While there is no disposition on the part of British firms to begrudge Germany her share of the shipbuilding work which offers, the fact remains that a large proportion of the work is for foreign account, and not the least valuable proportion for account of British owners, which has been secured by means not subject to market competition and beyond control, thereby depriving British yards of the opportunity of tendering for it, as under normal conditions they would have done.

Practically all the new Norwegian tonnage not built at home has been placed in Germany under barter contracts, and Norway, which a few years ago was one of the best customers for British yards, no longer seeks ships there.

RIFLE TROPHY WON BY CADET

Chief Petty Officer R. Harris Will Receive Memorial at Meeting Tonight

Since the Rainbow Sea Cadets were organized in Victoria as a special undertaking by the Victoria and Island Branch of the Navy League of Canada, for the purpose of giving boys some training in ship-board jobs, a total of seventy-five lads have been placed in positions aboard merchant vessels.

While the instructors would like to have found more berths for the boys of the corps, it has been extremely difficult lately, owing to the depression, to find many vacancies. Those who have gone out from the local corps to ships, however, have given every satisfaction, which is some consolation to the instructors, who give freely of their time week after week throughout the year without remuneration.

In addition to their proficiency in winning the shield presented by the I.O.D.E. for the smartest cadet corps in British Columbia, the boys have been making an excellent name for the organization as rifle shots, Chief Petty Officer R. Harris is the most recent member to distinguish himself by winning the Galer Hagerty Memorial, which will be presented to him at the annual meeting of the Navy League to be held here tonight.

WINNERS OF MEDALS

Winning the King George V Cup for the third time, and the second time in succession, and which has been awarded to Military District No. 11 to be held for the Rainbow Sea Cadets, the following members of the rifle team will be presented with silver medals again this year: P. Marchant, J. Bath, G. Watson, H. Harris, T. Heaslip, I. Grant, A. Wilson, A. Moore, A. Hardy and R. Harris.

Bronze medals for second place in this competition were won by the 6th Field Company, Canadian Engineer Cadet Corps, North Vancouver.

The annual meeting of the Navy League, to be held in the Naval Veterans' Branch quarters, Broad and Johnson Streets, is open to all who are interested in the aims and objects of the Navy League.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

Mariners are advised:

(1) That due to breakage in machinery, the fog alarm at the First Narrows Lightstation, entrance to Vancouver Harbor, B.C. is out of commission. Repairs are being carried out as quickly as possible.

(2) That a gas lighted buoy will be established in the near future on Darcy Shoal, in Haro Strait, in the place of the black unlighted buoy now there.

A. W. R. WILBY
Agent, Department of Marine.

Canadian Air Mail Service

Mails close at Victoria, 8:30 a.m. Monday. Arrive London, Ont. (via Detroit), 8:15 a.m. Wednesday; Hamilton, Ont. (via Buffalo), 9 a.m., Wednesday; Toronto (via Buffalo), 11 a.m., Wednesday; Ottawa, 5:05 p.m., Wednesday; Montreal, 11:30 a.m., Wednesday; Winnipeg (via Fargo), 10:30 a.m., Wednesday; Saint John, N.B., 8:55 a.m., Thursday; Halifax N.S., 9:45 p.m., Thursday.

Mails close at Victoria, 4 p.m., Monday. Arrive London, Ont. (via Detroit), 8:15 a.m., Wednesday; Hamilton, Ont. (via Buffalo), 9 a.m., Wednesday; Toronto (via Buffalo), 11 a.m., Wednesday; Ottawa, 5:05 p.m., Wednesday; Montreal, 11:30 a.m., Wednesday; Winnipeg (via Fargo), 10:30 a.m., Wednesday; Saint John, N.B., 8:55 a.m., Thursday; Halifax N.S., 9:45 p.m., Thursday.

Promoted to Manila Post



W. F. TAYLOR

Popular with the traveling public and extremely well liked by a wide circle of acquaintances, W. F. Taylor, for a number of years purser aboard the Ss. Empress of Asia on the North Pacific route of Canadian Pacific Steamships, will take a shore-side position following the arrival of the liner at Manila, where he will be assistant to the representative of the Canadian Pacific Railway for the Philippines. It will be at least three years before his many friends on this side will have the pleasure of welcoming the genial transportation man back again, although in the meantime they will be glad to hear of his promotion. Mr. Taylor served nine years on Pacific steamers and six years on Atlantic ships. He saw service overseas during the Great War. He will undoubtedly prove as successful shoreside for the Canadian Pacific, in the Orient, as he has been aboard ship. On his final passage as purser of the big white liner, he is accompanied to Manila by Mrs. Taylor.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

Weather Report

ESTEVAN — Cloudy; northwest, light; 29.95, 38; moderate swell

PACHENA—Rain, northwest, moderate, 29.97, 42; moderate swell.

CARMANAH—Overcast; southwest, light; 29.94 light swell.

CAPE BEALE—Overcast; west, light; 29.99, moderate swell.

Wireless Report

(Estevan, 8 p.m., unless otherwise stated)

CARLTON—Bound Vancouver, 167 miles south of Cape Flattery

ANYOX—Abeam Ahousat at 8 p.m., southbound, with a tow.

Transpacific Mails

CHINA AND JAPAN

PRESIDENT JEFFERSON—Mails close 4 p.m., February 18. Due at Yokohama, February 29; Shanghai, March 9; Hongkong, March 9.

EMPRESS OF ASIA—Mails close 4 p.m., February 20. Due at Yokohama, March 5; Shanghai, March 9; Honskong, March 19.

*HIKAWA MARU (Via Vancouver) — Mails close 11:15 p.m., February 28. Due at Yokohama, March 15.

PRESIDENT JACKSON—Mails close 4 p.m., February 29. Due at Yokohama, March 19; Shanghai, March 17; Hongkong, March 20.

†Mail for Japan only.

*Letter and paper mails for Japan, China, Honskong and Manila.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

NIAGARA—Mails close 4 p.m., February 26. Due at Auckland, March 19; Sydney, March 21.

MONTEREY (Via San Francisco)—Mails close 11:15 p.m., February 29. Due at Auckland, March 30; Sydney, March 93.

Gulf Island Mail

GANGES, JALIANA, MAYNE, PENDER ISLAND, FORT WASHINGTON, SALTSPRING ISLAND

Mails close Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 11:15 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m.

Mails due Monday, 7:15 p.m.; Sunday Wednesday, Friday, 7:15 a.m.

BEAVER POINT, FULFORD HARBOR

Mails close Tuesday, 10 a.m.; Wednesday, Friday, 11:15 p.m.

Mails due Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 7:15 a.m.

SATURNA

Mails close Sunday, Wednesday, 11:15 p.m.

Mails due Monday, 7:15 p.m.; Friday, 10 a.m.

SOUTH PENDER

Mails close Sunday, Wednesday, 11:15 p.m.

Mails due Monday, 7:15 p.m.; Friday, 7:10 a.m.

MUSGRAVE

Mails close Tuesday, 10 a.m.; Friday 11:15 p.m.

Mails due Sunday, Wednesday, 7:15 a.m.

NORTH GALIANO

Mails close Sunday, 11:15 p.m.

Shipping Calendar

TO ARRIVE

EMPRESS OF ASIA—Philippines, China and Japan, February 15.

HIKAWA MARU (Vancouver) — Japan ports, February 17.

MOVERIA — United Kingdom, February 17.

TALTHYBIUS—China and Japan, February 17.

PRESIDENT JACKSON — Philippines, China and Japan, February 19.

NEBRASKA—United Kingdom-Continent, February 20.

NIAGARA—Australia, New Zealand, Fiji and Hawaii, February 20.

PACIFIC SHIPPER — United Kingdom, February 20.

TO DEPART

HEIAN MARU (Vancouver)—Japan ports, February 15.

PRESIDENT JEFFERSON—Japan, China and Philippines, February 15.

EMPRESS OF ASIA—Japan, China and Philippines, February 22.

NIAGARA—Hawaii, Fiji, New Zealand and Australia, February 29.

HIKAWA MARU (Vancouver) — Japan ports, February 29.

PRESIDENT JACKSON — Japan, China and Philippines, February 29.

Coasting Craft

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria at 8 p.m. daily for Vancouver; Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive daily at Victoria from Vancouver at 5:30 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elizabeth or Ss. Princess Joan will leave Victoria daily for Vancouver at 12 midnight; Ss. Princess Elizabeth or Ss. Princess Joan will arrive Victoria daily from Vancouver at 7 a.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE—Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria at 4:30 p.m. daily for Seattle; Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive daily at Victoria from Seattle.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE — Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 9 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois arrives in Victoria daily from Seattle at 8:35 a.m.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo daily except Saturday and Sunday at 5 a.m. and 2:00 p.m., arriving at Nanaimo daily except Saturday and Sunday at 1:15 p.m. and 9:15 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo Saturday only at 5 a.m. 2:30 p.m. and 9:15 p.m., arriving at Nanaimo Saturday only at 1:15 p.m. and 8:15 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo on Sunday only at 9:45 p.m., arriving at Nanaimo on Sunday only at 1:15 p.m. and 11:15 p.m.

VICTORIA-WEST COAST — Ss. Princess Maquinna will leave Victoria for West Coast of Vancouver Island ports on the first, eleventh and twenty-first of each month at 11 p.m.

VANCOUVER-NORTHERN BRITISH COLUMBIA—Ss. Princess Adelaida will leave Vancouver every Wednesday for Prince Rupert and way ports at 9 p.m.; Ss. Prince Rupert or Ss. Prince Georges will leave Vancouver for Stewart and way ports every Monday at 5 p.m.; Ss. Cardena will leave Vancouver every Tuesday at 5 p.m. for Prince Rupert and way ports; Ss. Catala will leave Vancouver every Friday at 5 p.m. for Stewart and way ports.

VANCOUVER - QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS—Ss. Prince Charles will leave Vancouver every alternate Saturday for Queen Charlotte Island points and Prince Rupert at 5 p.m.

SWARTZ BAY-FULFORD HARBOR — Mv Cy Peck will leave Swartz Bay daily, except Wednesdays, at 9:00 a.m. and 5 p.m.; Mv Cy Peck will leave Fulford Harbor daily, except Wednesdays, at 8:15 a.m. and 4 p.m.

BRENTWOOD-MILL BAY—Mv Cascade leaves Brentwood daily at 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 12 noon, 2 p.m., 3 p.m., 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.; Mv Cascade leaves Mill Bay daily at 9:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 2:30 p.m., 3:30 p.m., 4:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m.

VICTORIA - GULF ISLANDS — Princess Mary leaves Victoria every Tuesday for James Island, Piers Island, Port Washington, Ganges Harbor, Mayne Island, Galiano Island and Vancouver at 10:30 a.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES—Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Port Angeles at 9 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois will arrive Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 8:35 a.m.

SIDNEY-ANACORTES—Ss. Rosario will leave Sidney daily for Anacortes at 1:45 p.m.; Ss. Rosario will arrive Sidney daily from Anacortes at 1:15 p.m.

Northern Points

PRINCE RUPERT AND POINTS WEST OF PORTSTDALE

Mails close Mondays, Wednesday, Friday and via C.P.R. Skagway steamers, 1:15 p.m.

Mails due Monday, 8:30 a.m.; Sunday and Friday, 7:15 a.m.

PRINCE RUPERT

Mails close Monday, Wednesday, Saturday, 11:15 p.m. via Kamloops and Jasper

Mails due Monday, Thursday, Saturday, 3:30 p.m.

POINTS ON C.N.R. BETWEEN PRINCE RUPERT AND RED PASS

Mails close Monday, Wednesday, Saturday, 11:15 p.m.

Mails due Monday, Thursday, Saturday 3:30 p.m.

STEWART, PREMIER AND ANYOX

Mails close Monday, Friday, 1:15 p.m.

Mails due Monday, 3:30 p.m.; Sunday 7:15 p.m.

SWANSON BAY

Mails close Tuesday, 1:15 p.m.

Mails due Monday, 9:30 p.m.

OCEAN FALLS

Mails close Monday, Wednesday, 1:15 p.m.

Mails due Sunday, 7:15 a.m.

West Coast Mails

Mails close 10 p.m., 25th, 11th and 21st of each month for Ahousat, Bamfield, Ceepeecee, Clayoquot, Clo-oose, Ecoole, Estevan Point, Kakawis, Kildonan, Kyuquot, Nootka, Port Alberni, Port Renfrew, Sechart, Tofino, Ucluelet. Due 1:15 p.m. 8th 18th and 28th of each month, except

Mails close 10 p.m., 31st each month, and 9:45 a.m., 22nd each month for Centre Island. Due 1:15 p.m., 28th of each month

Mails close 9:45 a.m. 6th, 16th and 26th of each month, except Sundays, for Clo-oose, Port Renfrew, Bamfield and Kildonan.

Mails close 9:45 a.m., Thursday and Saturday, for Bamfield, Ecoole, Kildonan Ecoose

San Mateo, Sechart, Ucluelet. Due 9:10 a.m., Tuesday and Saturday

Mails close 11:15 p.m., Monday and 1 p.m., Friday, for Holbers, Port Alice, Quatsino. Due 1 a.m., Tuesday and Friday

Mails close 10 p.m., 1st of each month, and 9:45 a.m., 2nd of each month, for Cachalot. Due 1:15 p.m., 8th of each month.

Queen Charlotte Mails

VIA VANCOUVER — Mails close 11:15 p.m., January 23, February 5 and 20, and March 5 and 19

VIA PRINCE RUPERT—Mails close 1:15 p.m., January 29, February 12 and 26, and March 11 and 25.

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BROKE PEACE TERMS AGAIN

Walkout on Freighter May Upset Puget Sound Ferry-Boat Agreement

SEATTLE, Feb. 25 (A.P.).—The Puget Sound ferry-boat peace, won after a long arbitration by Governor Martin's board, was endangered today as both shipowners and union leaders charged each other with breaking its terms.

The charges and counter-charges followed a walkout last night by twenty-four men from the freight boat Comanche, which operates between Seattle and Neah Bay for the Puget Sound Navigation Company.

Union leaders told executives of the company the men left because the company had refused to discharge Alton Lane, a fireman. He was described as a non-union man and, on the company's refusal, "unfair to labor."

Capt. F. E. Lovejoy, president of the Washington Shipowners' Association, declared the walkout as an "out and out breach" of the recent arbitration award. The award established a method of adjusting differences, and the unions should have submitted the question for arbitration, he said.

MANY MODELS ARE ENTERED

Travel Prizes Offered for Best Miniatures of Liner Normandie

Representing a total of almost one hundred years of work, based on the forty-hour week for each entrant, a fleet of two thousand models of the superliner Normandie have been submitted in the contest, just closed, conducted by the Model Builders' Guild of America.

The hundred best of these, each of them eighteen inches in length and built exactly to scale, are to be sent to the guild in New York within the next few weeks for judging by the jury of the contest. This committee of judges, of which the Hon. Charles de Ferry de Fontnouvelle, French consul-general in New York, is honorary chairman, includes the following:

THE JUDGES

Lowell Thomas, explorer, author, lecturer, news commentator; Dr. James E. West, chief Scout executive, Boy Scouts of America; Hendrik Willem Van Loon, author and lecturer; John Hays Hammond, Jr., inventor and scientist; Horace E. Dodge, builder of speed boats and racing craft; Christopher Morley, traveler and author; Adolph Treidler, artist and illustrator; Henri Morin de Linclays, resident general manager of the French Line for the United States and Canada; Captain Rene Pugnet, commander of the Normandie; Captain Pierre Thoreux, associate commander of the Normandie; W. G. Pollock and J. F. Pilling, of the Model Builders' Guild.

On the decision of these prominent men rests the fate of the model-building enthusiasts who have put their best into the construction of these replicas of the world's largest ship in the hope of winning one of the first four prizes, each of which is a trip on a French Line ship.

FROM MANY LANDS

Entries have been received from every one of the forty-eight states, and from Cuba, Canada, Hawaii, the Philippines, Mexico, Bermuda, England, France, Spain, Venezuela, Australia, British South Africa, China, Japan, inland Java, from whence the entry blank came out to civilization by mule transport, and from the hinterland of Arabia, via Aden, the model-building kit having been sent in, on order, with fifty-six cents extra postage, to pay for carrying from Aden by camel train.

The prizes offered by the Model Builders'—Guild of America, for which the contestants are competing, are: First prize, round trip to Europe in the top class of the Normandie; second prize, round trip to Europe in the tourist class of the Normandie; third prize, a French Line cruise to the West Indies of approximately twelve days; fourth prize, a French Line cruise to the West Indies of approximately seven days; fifth to twenty-ninth prizes, silver cups, and thirtieth to fifty-fourth prizes, medals.

WHAT'S DOING ON THE LOCAL RETAIL PRODUCE MARKET

Egg prices continued their phenomenal rise on the local retail market yesterday with a 4-cent per dozen jump over week-end quotations. Grade "A" large, medium and pullet eggs were quoted, yesterday, at 40, 38, and 37 cents per dozen, respectively. The advance followed closely a 3-cent per dozen increase late last week. Further increases were reported as possible, bearing on the production rate during the next few days. It was explained that cold weather on the Mainland had the resultant upswing reflection on the Victoria market.

Vegetable prices, generally, remained unchanged with the fruit market steady. The cheese market was reported to be firm.

A carload of 350 stems of bananas, and shipments of celery, cauliflower, carrots, parsley and artichokes are scheduled to arrive today from California. A carload of cabbage arrived yesterday and the first Florida new potatoes to sell at 11 cents per pound and two pounds for 25 cents will arrive today. A shipment of Honolulu pineapple arrived Monday.

Rhubarb advanced 1-2 cent a pound to 6 cents per pound, while orange prices were slightly up on account of continued rain in California. This would have the effect of boosting prices on the larger sizes minutely, it was stated.

Butter prices remained unchanged. A carload of unwrapped Newtown apples arrived yesterday.

Yukon and Atlin Mails

Mails for the Yukon and Atlin during the period February 21 to March 27, inclusive, follow:

Ss. Princess Norah, from Vancouver, 9 p.m., February 21; Ss. Alaska, Seattle, 9 a.m., February 29. Ss. Princess Norah, Vancouver, 9 p.m., March 6. Ss. Alaska, Seattle, 9 a.m., March 14. Ss. Princess Norah, Vancouver, 9 p.m., March 17; Ss. Yukon, Seattle, 9 a.m., March 21; Ss. Princess Norah, Vancouver, 9 p.m., March 27.

SHIPPER IS DUE TONIGHT

Furness Line Motorship Went to Seattle—Niagara Is Outbound

Proceeding to Seattle last night instead of coming into Victoria, the Furness Line motorship Pacific Shipper reached the Puget Sound port at 6 o'clock last evening. The combined freight and passenger ship will remain at Seattle until early afternoon today and then will sail for Victoria. She is due here, according to King Brothers, at 7 o'clock tonight. The Shipper will dock at Rithet Piers.

On her way to Sydney via way ports, the Canadian-Australasian Ss. Niagara, Captain W. Martin, should be alongside Rithet Piers between 4 and 5 o'clock this afternoon, and be ready to sail an hour after her arrival here for the South Seas. As it is drawing near the Winter season "down under," the passenger lists going South are small at the present time. The Niagara will embark a number of passengers and take on mails and cargo at Rithet Piers.

WILL BE SCRAPPED

The banana ship Favorita, once the proud Witlaz, yacht of the late Russian Czar Nicholas, is to be scrapped. The still trim vessel has been towed into the yards of the Northern Metals Company in Philadelphia.

Captain Tom Newman, of Miami, has been awarded the contract for towing and sinking the Bull Line freighter Elizabeth, whose back was broken in the storm of November 4, off Miami Beach. Thirty days will be allowed for the work, which will include the salvaging of 46,000 gallons of fuel oil and 4,000 tons of phosphate rock and iron from the vessel. The Newman bid was $10,000. The War Department had ordered that the wrecked vessel be sunk at sea.

ORDERS PLACED

The Duetesche Werft A. G. has received an order from A. P. Moller, Copenhagen, for a motor tanker of 17,500 tons. It is stated that the order has been placed through the agency of a British bank. The same applies to an order placed on behalf of Moller for a cargo motorship of 9,000 tons with the Bremer Vulkan A. G., of Vegesack. It is assumed that consideration of "frozen" currency and of transfer restrictions have necessitated this arrangement.

The former White Star liner Homeric, 34,351 tons gross, which has been laid up at Ryde, Isle of Wight, since the completion of her cruises last year, is soon to be offered for sale for breaking up. She is the seventh vessel of the Cunard-White Star fleet to be broken up since the lines were merged. The future of the Majestic, which is leaving the New York run, is not known at present, but she does not appear in either the regular or cruise schedules of the line for the coming year. She is to be laid up in the meantime at Southampton.

The International Olympic committee selects the city in which the Olympic Games are to be held.



Mr. Doublestay Is Late Again!

. . . Oh, Marmaduke, I feel so sorry for his poor wife—imagine her embarrassment—the dinner ready to be served and the host still missing.

And it's all his own fault, too, he insists on taking his own car down to the office every day; and what with having to extricate himself from a tight parking space and then to drive through all that traffic, I sometimes wonder that he is able to get home at all.

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Down-to-earth drama of vital human emotions in a setting as robust as it is new.

Jean Harlow and Spencer Tracy as a new romantic team.

Miss Harlow as a brunette for the first time since her celebrated portrayal of "Red-Headed Woman."

A supporting cast headed by the screen's first-ranking comedienne, Una Merkel, and Joseph Calleia of "Public Enemy" fame.

A group of outstanding players, including Victor Kilian, Mickey Rooney, J. Farrell MacDonald, Juanita Quigley, Paul Hurst, Vince Barnett, Dorothy Appleby and Judith Wood.

Directed by J. Walter Ruben from a powerful story by Frances Marion, with screen play by Miss Marion, H. W. Hanemann and Anita Loos.

That is a quick summary of "Riffraff," which opens today at the Capitol Theatre as one of the exceptional features of the new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer programme.



DOMINION TODAY AND THURSDAY
A Dazzling Show World You're Never Seen Before
'King of Burlesque'
At 12:45, 3:10, 6:35, 9:30—With
WARNER BAXTER • ALICE FAYE • JACK OAKIE
ROMANCE! MUSIC! SONG-HITS!
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AMUSEMENTS

On the Screen

Capitol—Jean Harlow in "Riff-raff."

Columbia—"Java Head" starring Anna May Wong.

Dominion—"King of Burlesque" starring Warner Baxter.

Playhouse—"The Merry Widow," starring Maurice Chevalier.

COLUMBIA THEATRE "Java Head," the stirring drama of "East meeting West," will be shown at the Columbia Theatre for the last times today. Anna May Wong is seen in the leading role, supported by Elizabeth Allan and Edward Gwenn.

DOMINION THEATRE Individually Jimmy McHugh and Ted Koehler have been a great success. The composer and lyricist of the hour have combined their efforts to turn a bevy of brand new tunes for "King of Burlesque," the 20th Century-Fox release which is now at the Dominion Theatre. McHugh is the author of "I'm in the Mood for Love," the tune that held the top position in radio for several months.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE Ernst Lubitsch directs his musical numbers as well as his drama. In "The Merry Widow," Lubitsch, being a talented musician, rehearsed Maurice Chevalier and Jeanette MacDonald in all their songs, personally accompanying them on his piano. The new feature is now at the Playhouse Theatre.

"LORNA DOON" OPENS AT EMPIRE TOMORROW

"Lorna Doon," the book that has delighted millions, the picture that lives up to the book; this magnificent film will be shown at the Empire Theatre tomorrow, Friday and Saturday. Victoria Hopper at "Lorna" and John Loder as "Girt Jan Ridd" head an enormous cast which may justly be said to present an array of British acting talent unsurpassed on stage or screen.

On the same programme is the timely presentation of "The Reign of King George V" told in story form, and giving the highlights of the quarter century reign, and, to complete this presentation is the travelogue, "Our Distant Cousins."

SINGERS OFFERING UNIQUE PROGRAMME

That excellent ensemble of male voices, touring the country under the name of John Goss and His London Singers, is announced for an appearance on Monday night, March 2, at the Empire Theatre. This is the fifth season of the organization in this country. It has enjoyed European popularity for a much longer period.

The programme which these singers present is unique. The groups cover old English songs, songs for one, two and three voices, German lieder, and finally some rollicking old sea tunes called "shanties."

In commenting upon their work, the critic of The Buffalo Times writes: "The work of the soloist and his quartette is the acme of unity. Their singing is simply irresistible. Their collaboration is remarkable and the wide variety of expression commands admiration. Goss and his singers will doubtless win their audience everywhere as completely as they did the one of last night."

How It Started

By JEAN NEWTON

HOBBY

"I can almost say," President Roosevelt is quoted, "that I owe my life to my hobbies."

When it comes to hobbies, a cat may look at a queen.

We all have them. They may be pretty nearly anything. Even a small list might prove endless. It is safe to say, however, that whatever our hobby is, it is not the counterpart of the original.

For "hobby," which was first "hobby-horse," is from the Old English "hobin," a nag, probably of German or Scandinavian derivation.

In this connection, we have the Danish "hoppe," a mare which may be akin to our English "hop" to jump.

So the earliest hobby was an honest-to-goodness horse, subsequently a toy dobbin, and, eventually, almost anything with which, during our leisure hours, we occupy our thoughts, attentions, affections—and sometimes, even our passions.

CANADIAN DOLLAR AND POUND RATES

MONTREAL, Feb. 25 (C.P.)—Pound sterling dipped 13-32 to $4.98 29-32 on Montreal foreign exchanges. The United States dollar, at .99⅞, and French franc, at 6.66⅜, remained unchanged.

BAR GOLD AT LONDON

MONTREAL, Feb. 25 (C.P.)—Bar gold in London unchanged at $35.14 an ounce in Canadian funds; 140s 10d in British funds. The fixed $35 Washington price amounted to $34.96 in Canadian funds.

PLAN BIG STADIUM

WASHINGTON (C.P.)—A huge stadium, seating 80,000 people, particularly for Army-Navy football games, is one of the features of a project to be reported on in April, embracing a national guard armory, drill ground, tenis courts, baseball diamond and other military and recreational accommodation.

Archbishop Consecrated



An impressive scene in beautiful Sistine Chapel, Vatican City, as His Holiness Pope Pius XI consecrated Monsignor Migone, after the latter's elevation to the archbishopric as Papal Almoner. The rich frescoes adorning the walls of the chapel show to advantage in this picture.



CHAPTER XXVII

Home, with the freshness of Summer gone from the trees and lawns and flowers, looked more drab than usual.

Mrs. Wade, in a crisp, clean house dress, cried a little over Iris and embraced her fondly.

"I must say you look well," said Selina. "I've missed you, Iris. Tommy is so absorbed in the new job Mark Christian got him that I have no one to talk to. It's been awfully lonesome. I think Eve is getting dissatisfied again. I don't know what's to be done about it. Sometimes I just don't know where to turn."

And Iris, out of duty, had to listen to Selina's long pent up troubles while she thought of that tall figure walking off the boat, out of her life.

All that morning she unpacked. She would not telephone Joel until noon and if he wanted to see her, she'd get a cab and meet him downtown for lunch. Then they could make definite plans about the wedding.

When she called the bank a feminine voice told her: "He didn't come in today," and refused to elaborate further. Iris phoned his boarding house next.

"Hello," she said gaily. "You're not ill, are you?"

There was a long, taut silence. "Iris," he said, "I'm in a terrible jam. Can you come right away?"

The taxicab seemed to creep through the noonday traffic. Finally it drew up at the curb of a large three-story house. Iris rang the bell and a buxom Irishwoman answered.

"May I see Mr. Brooke?"

"Indeed you may. The boy's beside himself, walkin' up and down over my head all night and all the mornin', and snappin' at me when I ask him what ails him. He ain't sick and he ain't drunk, but he looks scared . . ."

Scared? What could it possibly be? Had he lost his job?—Was he so worried because, if he had lost it, they could not carry out their plans to be married? Joel opened the door and looked at her with red-rimmed eyes. Iris stared at a strange look about him.

There were evidences in his room of his great unrest. The ash trays were filled. For the past hour he had smashed the cigarettes beneath his heel. The blue window shades were drawn. His bed looked as if he had lain upon it fitfully. His white shirt sleeves were rolled up and there was an unkempt, untidy look about him.

"What is it, Joel? You seem terribly upset." She took him by the arms and looked at him.

His eyes seemed to look through her.

"I told you I was in a jam."

"What kind of jam? What have you done?"

"I wasn't good enough for your mother. I wasn't good enough to come to the house or associate with your friends. I couldn't give you the things your mother thought you should have or take you to the best places . . ."

"What are you talking about? What has that got to do with this? What has it got to do with you and me?"

"Because I embezzled money, that's why!" He took her wrist and held it tightly. "Now you listen to me. My extra-job was working as a cashier in a building and loan association at night. I took money. I took money. I took it for you! Then I took you to the best places and bought the ring you're wearing. I did it for you. Do you hear that?"

"You're hurting me. Let me go." Iris shuddered and drew in her shoulders as if he had struck her. "You—stole money! Why . . . how could you?"

"I did it for you," he said. "And I'm caught. They know about it now. The books were audited last night. Now I'm waiting for them to come and get me. That'll be swell, won't it? Boy steals to give girl luxuries. I wonder what your fine friends will think about that."

She could not believe what he was saying. She drew back. Was this Joel? Have I loved this boy? Have I led him to ruin, to disgrace, to a jail sentence? For the second time in her life Iris felt everything crashing about her.

"Oh, they'll give it to me," he said, lighting another cigarette. "I wanted to meet you at the boat this morning, but I was afraid to leave the house. If I hadn't known you were coming back today, I'd . . . That's why I pulled the shades down. It looked so easy—to jump."

"There must be come way out of this."

He straightened. "This is what your mother's fine ideas have brought me to. Jailed for embezzlement to buy an engagement ring! In the penetentiary I won't be able to stand in your way any longer."

"Stop talking that way! Joel, I . . . what can I say? I didn't lead you into this. I promised to marry you long before this, and I'd have married you when you first asked me and kept on working, but I didn't want to burden you with my family. I had to think of them!"

"Does that relieve your conscience any? You're not going to walk out on me now. You're as much in this as I am."

"Did you think I'd walk out on you? Joel, how much did you take?"

"About four thousand."

"You haven't spent that much. Is the rest of it in the bank?"

His face reddened. "No, I spent it."

"How did you spend all that money?"

"Gambling. I thought I could make it more."

Iris said: "You make me despise myself as much as I despise your weakness."

"There's still a way out for both of us if you're willing to take a chance. That's why I asked you to come. We can leave town, get married . . ."

"With the police on our trail?" Iris bit back the tears. "What has happened to you! What has happened to the boy I first knew? Or have you been like this all along and I didn't know it? Now you want to run away and take me with you."

He lowered his head. His shoulders shook. "Don't leave me to fight this mess alone. Iris, please, please don't leave me now."

"I'm not going to leave you."

When the door suddenly opened, he reached for her, not brutally this time, but as someone weak reaches for someone strong. For a minute three people stared at one another, facing an ugly truth.

The elderly, mild-mannered man asked of Iris: "Who are you?"

"I'm Mr. Brooke's fiancee, Iris Wade."

"I am Antony Butler, Miss Wade, president of the building and loan association." He shook his head. "It's too bad about this. A very regretable thing. I feel very sorry for you, Miss Wade."

"I learned of it just now. I've been away. I just got back this morning."

Mr. Butler looked at Joel. He spoke firmly, but not unkindly. "You were in a position of trust and you violated it. Our books show that a little more than four thousand dollars was stolen."

Joel was visibly suffering. Mr. Butler went on mildly: "The directors wanted to have you arrested immediately."

Iris said: "Don't do that! Give him a chance! He did it for me. To give me things and so that we could be married."

"The circumstances that prompted it don't excuse it. We had quite a long discussion about this. I have a son of my own and I am not so sure but that he would have been tempted, seeing money he wanted and needed pass through his fingers."

Iris interrupted. "You haven't notified the authorities, have you?"

"No. When I found he wasn't at the bank. I thought he'd either be here or . . ."

"Or skipped town," said Joel. "Why don't you say it?"

"If I were in your position, young man, I think I'd control my temper."

Iris said: "Please, Joel, this won't help."

"Then why does he torture me with all this talk? Call in the police and get it over. I did it. I admit it. I went crazy, I guess. I've been handling money for years at the bank and I never took any. Why prolong it? Why be so—so polite about it?"

"Perhaps the rest of my explanation won't bore you so much," said Mr. Butler.

"He isn't himself," said Iris. "He's been imagining everything. Can't something be done? I'll do anything . . ."

Mr. Butler's voice was mild again. "If he were arrested, he'd be charged with embezzlement. No one knows at this time except the directors, officers and auditors of the association." He looked over Iris' head at Joel. "We're going to give you a chance. If you can raise the money within forty-eight hours no one will ever know anything about it. You are not a criminal. This should teach you a lesson. You've been working in a bank for years and apparently you've been honest."

"Forty-eight hours," said Iris.

"Don't try to run away," Mr. Butler cautioned. "You wouldn't get far and it would be worse for you."

"And if I can't raise the money?" Joel asked, sneering.

"Then we have no choice except to prosecute you. The money you took, you see, was given to us in trust. I am not speaking personally, but for the whole association."

Iris repeated: "Forty-eight hours."

It was Tuesday. That would be until Thursday noon.

(To Be Continued.)

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A Few Pocket Diaries to clear this morning, each 35c

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Included on this table are tea cloths, aprons, linen centrepieces, knitting bags, crib covers, dresser scarfs, cushions and many other useful bits of needlework for embroidery or finishing. Values to $1.50. To clear 50c

—Needlework, 1st Floor

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40 Pairs of Men's Vimy Oxfords. Black calf with narrow toe. This morning, per pair $3.69

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LEAFS DRAW WITH RANGERS TO TAKE TOP PLACE

Old-Time Champion Selects Joe Louis As Leading Boxer

Tommy Burns, Heavyweight Titleholder in 1907, Has Praise for Detroit Fighter—Relates Interesting Incidents in His Own Career

Nattily attired in a smartly-tailored brown suit, but much heavier than when he won the world's heavyweight boxing crown by defeating "Philadelphia" Jack O'Brien, at Los Angeles, in 1907, Tommy Burns, the only Canadian boxer to ever reach the highest pinnacle in the heavyweight fight game — the championship of the world — was a visitor to Victoria yesterday. Few if any scars of battle mark the friendly face of the quiet-spoken and modest Tommy Burns, who, from a green kid, who received five twenty-five-cent pieces for his first professional bout in 1901, finally rose to be champion of the world.



JOE LOUIS

Born in the little town of Hanover, Ontario, and christened Noah Brusso, the career of the Canadian has been one of "accidents"—at least that's what he said yesterday evening in an interview in the Empress Hotel lobby.

FIRST PRO FIGHT

He was training for an amateur tournament in Delray, a suburb of Detroit, Michigan, in 1901, and was induced to fight on a professional card when one of the boys failed to put in an appearance. He made his debut and won the call over Fred Thornton, a negro battler, who had stayed six rounds with "Young" Peter Jackson just two years before. He received the large sum of one dollar and twenty-five cents, in twenty-five-cent pieces, for his services, and found to his dismay that he was unable to compete as an amateur thereafter.

That, according to Tommy Burns, was the start of many interesting incidents which he termed "accidents" in his boxing career.

In 1903, two years later, he knocked out Bob Grady, and the boy was out for three days. Burns and other officials were taken to the "lock-up," but later released. This incident upset Noah Brusso's mother, and she asked him not to fight again, but the call of the squared circle was too strong for this young Canadian and in order to continue boxing he changed his name to Tommy Burns.

BEAT MARVIN HART

It was in 1906 that Burns really climbed close to the top of the heavyweight division, for in this year he defeated Marvin Hart, at Los Angeles. The odds were against him in this bout, but after wearing his opponent down with his ring strategy, he went on to win the call.

Early the next year he met "Philadelphia" Jack O'Brien, at Los Angeles, and settled the dispute as to who was champion of the world by winning this battle.

Burns ruled as heavyweight titleholder until he met Jack Johnson, negro battler, in Australia, in 1908, and was defeated when the bout was stopped in the fourteenth round. Burns weighed 167 1-2 pounds and Johnson 207 pounds.

Burns is one of the few heavyweight boxers who never had a manager. He secured his own matches and in many instances promoted his own bouts, he said. His career has been varied, and in addition to being a heavyweight champion, he has been a promoter, instructor and club operator.

STILL INTERESTED

Today, still interested in the fight game despite his age, Tommy Burns has turned his interest to the youngsters and is doing considerable for Vancouver's young glove-throwers. He has between twenty-five and thirty youngsters in his gymnasium Tuesday evenings, and gives them free instruction, and in addition gives talks on the ether waves.

Like many of the former champions and promoters, Burns is interested in finding a "white hope" to defeat Joe Louis, sensational young Detroit negro, but he readily admits that it will take a good man to stop the "brown bomber."

Burns rates Joe Louis as the greatest fighter of all time, and places him in front of such battlers as Jack Dempsey, Bob Fitzsimmons and James J. Jeffries.

The former world champion picks Louis to stop Max Schmeling any time he chooses, if and when they meet, and says the "brown bomber" will defeat James J. Braddock, present heavyweight titleholder, when they meet this year.

LOUIS ON TOP

Asked to rank the four leading heavyweights of the present day, Burns named them as follows: Joe Louis, James J. Braddock, Max Schmeling and Primo Carnera.

After a career in which he donned gloves seventy-six times and won seventy-one bouts, Tommy Burns is resting today on the laurels and the "gold" he made in the fight game. He hopes soon, however, to promote boxing in Vancouver, and who knows, perhaps this same quiet-spoken and friendly ex-champion may some day develop a "white hope" to defeat Joe Louis.

South Australia Captures Shield Cricket Fixture

ADELAIDE, Australia, Feb. 25 (CP).—South Australia won the Sheffield Shield, premier Australian cricket competition, today by defeating Victoria by an innings and 190 runs in the final match of the tournament.

Against South Australia's big score of 565 for six wickets, declared, the Victorians were able to make only 201 and 174.

The victory gave South Australia the shield for the fifth time since the inception of the competition, an inter-state affair, in which New South Wales and Queensland also participate.

Barnes and Payne Are Suspended By B.C. Football Commission

WORD was received in the city yesterday by officials of the Victoria United Football Club that Roy Barnes, smart centre half, and George Payne, left winger, have been suspended until March 9 by the British Columbia Football Commission as a result of their fistic exhibitions during a recent game in Nanaimo. Just what happened to Orville Boyd, halfback for Nanaimo, who was also sent from the field by Referee Matt Guiness, was not known by local officials, but it is expected the same punishment was meted out. The match in question drew severe criticism from attending newspapermen, most of it being aimed at the arbiter for the way he handled the whistle. Victoria lost the game, 3-1, but finished with nine players, to Nanaimo's ten. Whether or not Victoria will appear in an inter-city match before the suspensions run out is also not known.

Bob Kruse and Davis May Meet Saturday Night

PROMOTER Fred Richardson, local matchmaker, announced yesterday that he is trying to line up a "natural" for the mat fans this week-end at the Tillicum gymnasium. He is dickering for rugged Bob Kruse, Oregon, and "Wee Willie" Davis, Norfolk, Virginia, well-known heavyweights for the eight ten-minute-round event. If successful, Victorians should witness one of the wildest and roughest bouts seen here for a long time. Two other top-notch grapplers will be seen in action in the five eight-minute-round semi-wind-up, while a good preliminary will round out the programme, which will start at 8:45. Final preparations for the Kruse-Davis bout are expected to be completed today.

FUNERAL OF BOXER HELD

Victim of Fight Tournament Goes to Resting-Place In Toronto

TORONTO, Feb. 25 (CP). — Young Fred Matthews, who decided there was more gold at the end of boxing's rainbow than in a Quebec mine, reached the end of his short ring trail today in snow-covered Prospect Cemetery, victim of his third fight.

The 207-pound amateur, from Arntfield, Que., was buried less than a week after his first ring appearance in Toronto's "white hope" tournament, also his last. Knocked out in fifty seconds by Patrick Flanagan, of London, Ont., last Wednesday night, he died Saturday night after three days of almost complete coma.

Flanagan followed his one-time opponent to the grave today as a pallbearer. With him went Phil "Red" Munro, who eventually won the tournament and the right to represent Canada in the eliminations for a Joe Louis opponent; two other boxers in the fights, and the promoters, Sammy Keller and Playfair Brown.

About fifty others attended the simple service in a funeral parlor. Dan Matieshin, of Arntfield, brother of the youngster, who fought under the name of Matthews, was there with his two sisters—Mrs. Charles Karas, of Rouyn, Que., and Mrs. Annie Soloby, of Timmins, Ont. Don's wife was with him.

Soccer Activities

A workout of the Saanich Thistles First and Second Division soccer teams will be held this evening at the Royal Athletic Park at 7:30.

Reorganization meeting of the Victoria City Second Division squad will be held this evening at 848 North Park Street at 7:30. All players are urged to attend.

Cincinnati Reds Training Already



It won't be long now! The baseball boys are at it already. Players of the Cincinnati Reds, first major league baseball brigade to move into the Spring firing line, are seen here going through their tune-up routine. The Reds are working out at San Juan Puerto Rico, but will taper off their pre-season activities near their home stamping grounds. At the left some of the budding base-runners do a turn at calisthenics under the eagle eye of Manager Charlie Dressen. At right, George "High Pockets" Kelly, former star first baseman of New York Giants, and now a Cincy scout, is up at the plate in batting and fielding practice. "Play ball" is just around the corner now.

Baroni Offers to Place Big Sum on Match Race

Owner of Top Row Willing to Wager $50,000 That His Horse Could Beat Select Field—$10,000 Event Carded Saturday

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 25 (AP).—A. A. Baroni offered to bet $50,000 today that his mighty little Top Row could repeat his great victory in the $100,000 added Santa Anita Handicap against any or all horses in the field in a match race.

Answering criticism aimed at Top Row and Jockey Wayne Wright for the wild stretch finish in last Saturday's classic, Baroni said his pint-sized star would be ready to run again in two weeks.

Charges of illegal bumping were leveled at the Baroni candidate, principally by F. A. Carreaud, owner of Time Supply, runner-up in the classic.

Stewards disallowed claims of fouls, declaring they saw no infraction of turf rules.

Baroni's announcement that Top Row would not be recovered from several cuts on the legs received in the big race removed him as a possible starter in the $10,000 added San Juan Capistrano Handicap next Saturday.

DISCOVERY TO RUN

Weights for the probable starters announced today revealed that Discovery, despite two straight losses at Santa Anita, was assigned top poundage for the coming event, a mile and one furlong race and concluding number on Santa Anita's 1936 meeting.

Discovery, if he runs, will pack the same 130 pounds he carried to seventh place in the big handicap.

Top Row was handed an eight-pound increase over the 116 he carried last Saturday. Similarly, Rosemont, third to finish and with 116 aboard, was given two more pounds.

Other weights of eligibles, with their impost last Saturday, were:

	San Juan Capistrano	Santa Anita
Azucar	118	118
Whopper	112	110
Singing Wood	109	109
Thursday	106	109
Tick On	106	110
Riskulus	106	108
Howard	106	106
Pompey's Pillar	104	104
Preeminent	102	105
Ariel Cross	102	106

Quadra Heights Wins Net Match

Showing their superiority in the mixed and men's doubles, Quadra Heights netters defeated Christ Church, 11-5, in a friendly badminton fixture played on their home courts. The home players won six of the eight mixed matches, three of the four men's doubles, and broke even in the women's doubles.

Scores, with the Quadra Heights players first named, follow:

WOMEN'S DOUBLES

Miss Williams and Mrs. Yates lost to Misses I. and E. Summers, 8-15.

Miss Williams and Mrs. Yates won from Mrs. Pollard and Mrs. Burton, 15-10.

Miss D. Arnott and Miss Everest won from Mrs. Pollard and Mrs. Burton, 15-7.

Miss D. Arnott and Miss Everest lost to Misses I. and E. Summers, 12-15.

MEN'S DOUBLES

Sommers and McDonald won from Leith and Stoney, 15-8.

Sommers and MacDonald won from Terry and Burton, 18-17.

Nesbitt and Middleton lost to Leith and Burton, 9-15.

Nesbitt and Middleton won from Terry and Stoney, 15-10.

MIXED DOUBLES

Mrs. Yates and Sommers won from Mrs. Burton and Leith, 15-8.

Miss Williams and Middleton lost to Mrs. Burton and Leith, 8-15.

Miss Arnott and McDonald won from Miss I. Summers and Stoney, 15-9.

Miss Everest and Nesbitt won from Miss I. Summers and Stoney, 15-8.

Mrs. Yates and Sommers won from Mrs. Pollard and Terry, 18-16.

Miss Williams and Middleton won from Mrs. Pollard and Terry, 15-12.

Miss Arnott and McDonald won from Miss E. Summers and Burton, 15-4.

Miss Everest and Nesbitt lost to Miss E. Summers and Burton, 9-15.

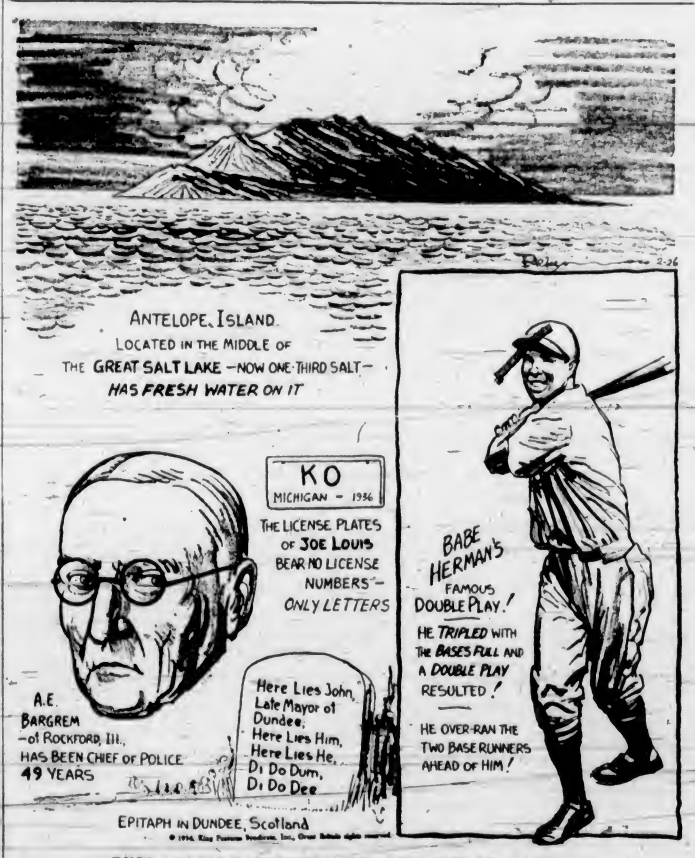
Burns Springs Upset in City Cue Tourney

A BIG surprise crept into the annual City Billiards Championship tournament at the Metropolis Parlors last night when Bobbie Burns stepped into the spotlight by taking the measure of Harry Robinson, defending titlist, in a closely-fought match. The dethroning of Robinson turns the meet into a wide-open scramble, as the champion was shouldering the burden when he went to the table. Burns played consistently from the break of the balls. He went into an early lead, being out in front by 100 at one time. The ivories were running tough for the defending champion, but he finally hit his stride and passed Burns about the 350 mark. In the final fifty it was just a matter of who got away on a "break," and Burns did that little thing to push Robinson out of the running by a score of 400 to 388. Draw for the next round will be made today by Secretary Dave Croston.

Chester in Triumph

LONDON, Feb. 25 (CP).—In a Third Division, Northern Section, English soccer game at Oldham today, Chester defeated Oldham Athletic, 3-1.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT . . . . . By Ripley



EXPLANATION FOR YESTERDAY'S RIPLEY CARTOON

Armless Highwayman—It doesn't seem possible that a man without arms could pull off much of a robbery, but Will Queen, of Union, S.C., did just that. Queen's arms are both amputated at the elbows, yet he held up and robbed John Palmer, of his home town, of $136. He manipulated his weapons so cleverly that Mr. Palmer took no chances. However, Queen was arrested on April 25, 1935, stood trial and was convicted, serving eight months in jail for his crime.

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TORONTO ICE SQUAD MOVES IN FRONT OF CANADIAN DIVISION

Outplay New York by Wide Margin in First Two Periods, But Fail to Gain Victory—Chicago Whips Maroons, 2-0—Boston Bruins Win Over Americans by 3-2 Score

TORONTO, Feb. 25 (CP).—Toronto Maple Leafs played a 2-2 tie with New York Rangers tonight, and took over leadership of the National Hockey League Canadian division as Montreal Maroons were beaten, 2-0, by Chicago Black Hawks. Outplaying Rangers by a wide margin in two periods, and outshooting them fifty-one to twenty-four through the seventy minutes, Leafs scored only one goal themselves. Ott Heller handing them one of their counters as he accidentally hit the puck into his own net in the third period. Andy Blair gave the Leafs a first-period lead on a nice solo goal, and Rangers were unable to even things until Alex Shibicky went through alone for the only counter of the second.



CHING JOHNSON

Heller's counter put Toronto ahead midway through the third, and seven minutes later Ching Johnson took a pass from Bill Cook for one of his infrequent goals that tied it at 2-2. Pep Kelly was given credit for the goal Heller scored.

Line-ups:

Rangers		Toronto
Kerr	Goal	Hainsworth
Johnson	Defence	Clancy
Coulter	Defence	Horner
Patrick	Centre	A. Jackson
Morenz	Wing	Metz
Dillon	Wing	Kelly

Ranger Subs—W. Cook, Boucher, Keeling, Pratt, Heller, Murdoch, Watson, Colville, Shibicky.

Toronto Subs—Blair, Blake, Conacher, Davidson, Primeau, H. Jackson, Thoms, Finnigan, Boll.

Officials—Daigneault and Smith.

Summary

First Period — 1, Toronto, Blair, 13:15. Penalties: Johnson, H. Jackson, Kelly.

Second Period—2, Rangers, Shibicky, 7:48.

Third Period—3, Toronto, Kelly, 9:50; 4, Rangers, Johnson (Cook), 16:48. Penalties: Conacher, Coulter, Clancy, Keeling.

Overtime Period—No scoring.

HAWKS BLANK MAROONS

MONTREAL, Feb. 25 (CP).—A two-goal third period outburst by Chicago Black Hawks was all Mike Karakas needed to register his eighth shutout of the season tonight, and give Hawks a 2-0 victory over Montreal Maroons in a National Hockey League game that wound up with a wild free-for-all in the dying minutes. The victory boosted Chicago to within one point of the section leaders, Detroit Red Wings, in the American division.

After forty minutes of scoreless and somewhat drab hockey, the high powered lines of Doc Romnes, Paul Thompson and Mush March broke through early in the third period for the first goal. March blazed the puck in from right wing off Chabot's skates.

Maroons opened up with a desperate mass attack from then on, and less than six minutes from the end, Marty Burke let Thompson have the puck in the clear, and the smooth left winger hurtled down to score with an ankle-high shot Chabot didn't have a chance on.

Line-ups:

Maroons		Chicago
Chabot	Goal	Karakas
Wentworth	Defence	Wiebe
Evans	Defence	Seibert
Smith	Centre	Romnes
Ward	Wing	March
Northcott	Wing	Thompson

Maroons Subs—Shields, Conacher, Blinco, Lamb, Trottier, Gracie, Marker, Cain.

Chicago Subs — Burke, Levinsky, Kendall, Cook, Trudell, Ouilette, McFadyen, Larochelle, Brydson.

Officials—Mike Rodden and Duke McCurry.

Summary

First Period—No scoring. Penalties: McFadyen, Levinsky.

Second Period—No scoring. Penalties: Levinsky, Smith, Trudell.

Third Period — 1, Chicago, March (Thompson, Romnes), 3:12; 2, Chicago, Thompson (Burke), 14:43. Penalties: Evans, Seibert (minor and major), Northcott, Smith, McFadyen (all majors), Conacher (ten-minute misconduct).

BRUINS BEAT AMERKS

BOSTON, Feb. 25 (AP).—Boston Bruins broke a four-game losing streak tonight by topping New York Americans, 3-2, in a wide open and exciting National Hockey League contest.

Paul Runge, scoreless in the previous fourteen games, contributed the first two Boston goals before the Amerks, on a furious fifteen-seconds attack, pulled even. Lorne Carr combined with Dave Schriner for the first American goal and the latter, the league's highest scorer, whanged in the second one with Art Chapman's assistance.

The Bruins were playing short-handed late in that period when they registered their winning tally. Alex Motter hooked a loose puck and started for little Roy Worters' cage. Player-Manager Red Dutton forced him to drop the puck, but Roger Jenkins, back with the Bruins after a short stay with the Can-Am League Cubs, hooked the rubber, swept down on Worters and fired into the empty side of his cage.

Line-ups:

Boston	Position	Americans
Thompson	Goal	Worters
Jenkins	Defence	Jerwa
Shore	Defence	Murray
Weiland	Centre	Stewart
Beattie	Wing	Conn
Sands	Wing	Oliver

Boston Subs—O'Neil, Cowley, Duguid, Siebert, Graham, Runge, Shannon, Motter.

Americans Subs — Chapman, Schriner, Carr, Dutton, Doran, Klein, Wiseman, Vose, Anderson.

Officials—Bill Stewart and Bill Shaver.

Summary

First Period — 1, Boston, Runge (O'Neil, Siebert), 10:19. Penalties, Dutton (major), O'Neil (two), Doran (two), Stewart.

Second Period—2, Boston, Runge (Motter, Shannon), 7:09; 3, Americans, Carr (Schriner), 10:47; 4, Americans, Schriner (Chapman), 11:02; 5, Boston, Jenkins (Motter), 16:37. Penalties: Shore, Doran (two, one a ten-minute misconduct), Anderson, Siebert, Graham.

Third Period—No scoring. Penalties: Jerwa, Dutton.

BILL WERBER WANTS TO STAY AT THIRD

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 (AP).—Third Baseman Bill Werber said today he believes it would be a tactical blunder for Manager Joe Cronin, of Boston Red Sox, to shift him from the "hot corner." He figures the infield should consist of Foxx, McNair, Cronin and Werber.

"If I'm moved, McNair likely would go to third and Melillo to second," he said. "I believe the field would have more punch and aggressiveness with me in there instead of Melillo."

As to the outfield, Bill said a shift for him probably would result in Dusty Cook being benched "and he's too valuable a man for that."

"Manush seems slated for left field, Cramer for centre and either Cooke, Almada, Graham or myself in right," he explained.

NATAL CRICKET SQUAD IN DRAW

DURBAN, South Africa, Feb. 25 (CP).—Featured by a century by J. H. Pingleton, the cricket match between the touring Australian team and Natal ended in a draw today. Sixteen runs behind on the first innings, the Antipodeans hit out smartly in their second turn at the wickets, declaring with the score at 326 for nine. Natal made 30 for one before play closed. The visitors made 256 in their first innings against 272 by the home team.

Pingleton compiled 167 by strong hitting, his strokes including one 6 and sixteen 4's. During the innings he brought his total runs for the tour to 1,000, the first Australian to accomplish the feat on the present visit.

Testing Out the Course



Round the icy curve, steeply banked to help balance their craft, speed two members of the German Olympic bob-sled team traveling a mile a minute, in a trial run over the steep course in the Bavarian hills. Over this course the best sled pilots of the world will compete for Olympic honors. Bobsling is one of the fastest and most hazardous as well as the most thrilling of all Winter Olympic sports.

"So you think that a college education leaves a girl better equipped for domestic life?"

"Yes," replied Miss Cayenne, "When a woman loses her temper, it must be some comfort to her husband for her to express herself grammatically and even classically."

DOMINOES WILL INVADE SEATTLE ON SATURDAY

Victoria Cage Men To Appear Before Sound City Crowd

Booked for Two Fixtures Across Border for First Away-From-Home Games This Season—Play Semi-Windup to Northwest Tournament Final——Mottishaw Unable to Go

With an impressive string of victories over leading American cage quintettes to their credit, Victoria Dominoes, the Canadian basketball champions, will go on display Saturday afternoon in the Civic Auditorium, Seattle. The locals have been booked to play in two exhibition fixtures, one in the afternoon and the other in the evening, against all-star United States teams.

Two years ago, as the Blue Ribbons, the locals made their debut in the Northwest tournament and put up a great exhibition with the Gilmore Oil cagers before going down to defeat. The Blue Ribbons clicked like champions in the initial stanza and appeared headed for victory, but they wilted in the final-half drive and lost the fixture in the semi-final round.

Last season they played again in the Seattle tournament, and this time fell before the strong Italian Athletic Club quintette after a furious struggle. Seattle fans liked the Victoria cagers and were loud in their praise of the showing they made against the powerful Italian Athletic Club squad that went on to win the tournament.

FIRST AWAY GAMES

Saturday's Seattle appearance will mark the first away from home showing by the Dominoes this season. On the Victoria High School Gymnasium floor they have turned in a number of smart performances before packed houses, and today are picked by many close observers of the game to retain their Dominion title. Their victories include two impressive wins over the highly touted House of David cagers from Benton Harbor, Michigan.

Manager Dave Nicol, genial boss of the Dominoes, stated yesterday that all of the boys, with the exception of Jack Mottishaw, will make the trip to the Sound City for the two-game exhibition series. Mottishaw, suffering from a sprained ankle sustained in practice, will soon be back on the line-up, and, while unable to participate in the Seattle series, will be ready to get into the battle when the Dominoes open their British Columbia play-downs here early next month against the Mainland titleholders.

TO PLAY SATURDAY

In the evening fixture at the Civic Auditorium, Seattle, the Dominoes will play in the preliminary to the Northwest tournament final.

Manager Nicol and all of the players are looking forward to the trip to the Sound City, fully realizing that it will give the club some valuable away from home experience.

"Chuck" Chapman, Doug Peden, Art Chapman, Albert "Red" Martin, "Porky" Andrews, Axel Kinnear, Alex McKeachie and Ollie Goldsmith are the players making the trip. They will leave here Friday afternoon and play their first fixture the following day at Seattle.

CARDINALS IN CAGE VICTORY

Local Basketballers Take Peden Cup Fixture From Mount Douglas

Victoria High School Cardinals, Peden Cup basketball team, defeated Mount Douglas High School, 39-15, yesterday afternoon in the Fernwood gym. This win of the Cardinals places them more strongly as challengers to the league-leading Blacks. The Blacks downed the Mount Douglas quintette 82 to 17 as compared with the 39-15 score of the Cardinals. There is no doubt that the Cardinal score would have been greater yesterday if "Porky" Andrews (captain) had been playing. It is expected that the Blacks-Cardinals play-offs, almost a certainty now, will be one of the closest finishes in the Peden Cup league since its inception. The half-time score was 23 to 8 in favor of Cardinals.

Bob Macmuchie and Bob Malcolm refereed. The teams and scores follow:

Cardinals—J. Mylrea, 6; A. Hudson, 2; Elliott, 11; J. Cosier, 2; McGary, 6; Stevens, 10, and Finlayson, 2.

Mount Douglas—Bladen, 6; Lytton, 4; Meadmore, 2; Simmons, and Aldous, 3.

THE SQUARED CIRCLE

BOXING

(By the Associated Press)

Pittsburgh. — Tony Herrera, 139, Chicago, outpointed Johnny Durso, 139, Pittsburgh (10).

Chicago.—Otis Thomas, 202, Chicago, outpointed Charley Belanger, 181 1-2, Winnipeg (10).

New York.—Lou Jallos, 139 Cleveland, outpointed Salvy Saban, 142 3-4, New York (6).

Fargo, N.D.—Everette Rightmire, 126, Sioux City, Iowa, outpointed Nick Scalba, 125 1-2, Chicago (10).

Milwaukee.—Frankie Sagillo, 141 1-2, Chicago, outpointed Puggy Weinert, 149, Chicago (8).

Buffalo, N.Y.—Johnny Nelson, 178, Buffalo, stopped Mitz Minikel, 184, Chicago (4).

Philadelphia. — Jock McAvoy, 167 1-2, England, outpointed Anson Green, 174, Homestead, Pa. (10).

Fort Smith, Ark.—Lou Severo, 142, Cleveland, stopped Paul Lasiter, 138, Fort Smith (5).

Newark, N.J.—Freddy (Red) Cochrane, 137, Elizabeth, N.J., outpointed Johnny Jadick, 140, Philadelphia (10).

Washington.—Al Delaney, 181 1-2, Delaware, outpointed Billy Ketchell, 177, Philadelphia (8).

Butte, Mont. — Tony Chavez, 127 1-2, New Mexico, stopped Lloyd Pine, 125, Akron, Ohio (6).

Louisville, Ky. — Jimmy Buckler, 132 1-2, Louisville, knocked out Joey Dempsey, 136 1-2, Chicago (2).

WRESTLING

Wilmington. — Emil Dusek, 215, Omaha, defeated George Koverly, 218, Hollywood, two out of three.

Camden, N.J.—Joe Montana, 179, Camden, drew with Jose Samuel, 181, Portugal. Each won one fall.

Lancaster, Pa.—Joe Dusek, 217, Omaha, defeated Ed Meske, 221, Akron, Ohio, one fall.

Worcester, Mass.—Yvon Robert, 220, Canada, tossed John Malmberg, 215, Worcester, two falls.

Portland, Me.—Lester O'Neil, 178, Portland, defeated Otto von Zuppe, 179, Germany, two out of three.

Rochester, N.Y.—Jack Sherry, 215, Texas, tossed Ivan Rasputin, 217, Russia, straight falls.

HOW TO BOWL—No. 10

Have You Done All These?

By Mrs. Floretta D. McCutcheon, World Champion Woman Bowler.

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the concluding article in a series of ten lessons on bowling, written especially for Central Press Canadian by Mrs. Floretta D. McCutcheon, woman champion bowler and internationally known bowling instructor.

YOU are starting a sport that will not only furnish you pleasure from the start, make for health, reduce excess flesh and build your body in excellent proportions, but will give you health and fun all through your life. May we review the fundamentals which we have covered in the early lessons.

RELAX! Strive for rhythm and timing. Bowl as naturally as you walk. When you are bowling your best, there is just as definite a rhythm in bowling as in swimming or dancing.

POINT YOUR THUMB

PRACTICE DELIVERY! Stand erect and relaxed, holding the ball in your left hand. Go forward with a smooth, easy stride, bending low at the alley to release your ball. Point your thumb where you want the ball to go. Be sure to follow through!

SPOT BOWL! Do not pin bowl. Remember, you should look where you put your ball at the foul line, not where you hope it will end up.

And remember, the easier you bowl, the better results you will get.

If you start getting one strike, and then another, and then another, don't follow the example of a certain star I saw bowling in Chicago. He was bowling a "jackpot" game, with several friends.

As you know, twelve strikes in a row is a perfect game, or top score of 300.

Well, this bowler started with a strike, and then got nine more. He needed only two strikes more, for the perfect game. Instead of going back and waiting for his ball, he walked over to the coat rack, put on his coat and hat and left the bowling alley.

DON'T BE LIKE THAT!

He didn't appear until two days later. Then he came back to the alley and explained to the owner:

"You undoubtedly thought I was crazy, when I left the game after ten strikes in a row the other day. Well, when I rolled that tenth ball, and got my strike, I thought my heart would stop beating. I knew if I rolled the eleventh strike and needed just one more, I'd burst. "So I left."

But what I want you to do in a case like that, is bowl out the string.

THE END



The 4-5-7 Split—Mrs. McCutcheon, Left, Her Daughter Barbara and Pupil Jane Davis, Right, Watch Ball Hit 4-5-7 Split.

THE FIGHTER RACE WINNER IN HANDICAP

Races Over Six Furlongs in Fast Time to Take Feature Event at Santa Anita

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 25 (AP).—The Fighter, Milky Way Farms' candidate for the Kentucky Derby, raced six furlongs on a drying track at Santa Anita Park in the fast time of 1:11 today to win the Palos Verdes Handicap.

The Fighter, ridden by A. Robertson, finished a length ahead of Clean Out, and First Minstrel was a charging third.

The Fighter paid $4.60, $4 and $3. Clean Out rewarded with $8.20 and $4.80, and First Minstrel with $5.

Results follow:

First Race—Three furlongs:
Gertrude J. (Leischmann) .... $7 20 $ 5 80 $ 4 80
Seth's Mortgage (Kurtsinger) 22 40 11 00
Flintridge (Rossi) 5 40
Time, :35. Also ran: Temper, Sun Prairie, Leeds, Chan Chan, Superior Hills, Taraval, Santa Monica, Bon Mint, Gretna, La Moonist, Cortie Madera.

Second Race—Six furlongs:
Wee Santa (Stallins) .. $12 20 $ 6 40 $ 5 40
Peggy George (Gray) 90 20 26 20
Kootenay Belle (Reeve) 6 80
Time, 1:14 1-5. Also ran: Fresno, Opening Night, Sue Grafton, Danfield, Princess Ora, Dow B., Hadase, Rotherham, Uncle Gus.

Third Race—Six furlongs:
Sophist (Thornton) $7 20 $5 00 $2 60
Zebulo (James) 9 60 6 20
Morale (Kurtsinger) 5 60
Time, 1:12 2-5. Also ran: Physician, Don Marcus, Golden Crystal, Humorous, Shady Girl, Brilliant King, Poco Diablo.

Fourth Race—Six furlongs:
Reelon (Robertson) $10 20 $4 00 $2 80
Toro Lee (Burns) 2 00 2 60
Pompey's Squaw (Knapp) 2 80
Time, 1:12 2-5. Also ran: Primulus, Pou Mol, Doris King.

Fifth Race—Six furlongs:
Brown Eyed Pat (James) $22 40 $11 60 $5 20
Evangelist (Brammer) 11 00 5 20
El Bandido (Corbett) 3 20
Time, 1:12 2-5. Also ran: Blackmail, Chatter Queen, Trinchera, Hoosier's Pride, Erin Lad.

Sixth Race—Six furlongs:
The Fighter (Robertson) .. $4 60 $4 00 $3 00
Clean Out (Jones) 8 20 4 80
First Minstrel (Coucci) 5 00
Time, 1:11. Also ran: Manner's Man, Nilus, Westmain, Lady Bowman.

Seventh Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Bemine (Young) $8 60 $4 20 $4 20
Morpheus (Brammer) 5 00 4 20
Alawitt (Josephson) 6 40
Time, 1:46. Also ran: Jen's Son, Strange Times, Panic Blues, Len Helker, Brilliant Duke, Portcodine, Jamul, Gabbo, Zevar.

Eighth Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Plum Elected (James) .. $23 80 $16 60 $7 40
Lady Peenzie (Phillips) 14 00 7 40
Bill Bane (Shults) 4 60
Time, 1:47. Also ran: Sun Liberty, Joe McCord, Electric Galf, Golden Words, Bubbling Mate, Tar Bucket, Proud Hills, Wild Hour, Sweep Quick.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

First Race—Six furlongs:
Just Reward 107
Phara 107
Red Go 112
Royal Charm 106
Britlon 107
Master Toney 117
Barbara Lee 107
Marcleave 105
Black Hair 112
Easter Tommy 112
Easter Parade 117
Gianteas 100

Second Race—Three furlongs:
Naaden 116
Holluschickie 116
Half Fare 116
Mr Heather 116
Wrackfield 116
Prince Sador 116
The Runner 116
Slump 116
Ancestral 116
Voldear 116
Gray Count 116
Jaipur 116
Iron Mountain 116
Tarpwood 116

Third Race—Six furlongs:
(A) Tynemouth 105
(A) Skipton 105
The Flower 110
Bonnie Beach 101
Amy Cooper 110
Hacita 101
Maid of Perth 100
(A) Stokes entry.

Fourth Race—Six furlongs:
Budding Star 115
Our Carolyne 102
Cottingham 110
Festoon 106
Pretty Patricia 107
Dunlin Lady 106
Continuity 102
Lookout Below 112

Fifth Race—One mile:
(A) Rockpoint 116
Char res 108
Royal Gold 106
High Image 109
Gertie 109
Sexuro 108
Jim Dandy 104
Volbrace 104
(A) Single Ragan 102
(A) Springhill entry

Sixth Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Impeach 110
Crete 110
Cold Water 107
Toro Flight 106
Little Doggie 105
Crofter 112
Crystal Prince 105
South Gallant 106

Seventh Race—Mile and one-eighth:
Dutch Uncle 111
Norman D 102
Merely 104
Communist 105
Dignified 103
Jimmy Sutro 106
Hut 103
Good Politian 111

Eighth Race—Mile and one-half:
Melody Lane 94
Rosemaid 94
Augeas 106
Malicious 102
Daudet 109
Lansdowne 101

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Hobnail 109
How High 114
Texas Moon 102
Last Center 114
Gretna B. 107
Mess Wagon 114
Tristrap 114

Remember When

(Twenty-Five Years Ago)

That Ladysmith's eleven will be the next Island soccer champions was the opinion of the majority after they had witnessed their handling of Victoria West yesterday afternoon at the Canteen grounds, Esquimalt. With a team as strong perhaps, as they have had on the field this season the local titleholders allowed the visitors to get away with them by a score of 2 to 0. While the score is not indicative of the character of the match, inasmuch as the Victorians had just as much of the play taking it all through as the others, still Ladysmith's victory was well earned. Putting it briefly, the best team won.

Jimmy Adam, star centre forward of the Ladysmith eleven, netted the first marker in the initial period, and Brass netted the final tally late in the game.

H. A. Goward refereed and the teams were:

Ladysmith: Dougan, Rogers, Hines, T. Hines, McAdam, Upton, McGuire, Wilson, Jimmy Adam, Brass and Sabison.

Victoria West: Lefevre, Whyte, Prevost, Okell, Petticrew, Thackeray, Youson, J. Peden, T. Peden, Muir and Sherritt.

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Victoria gets eight weeks of baseball this Summer.

This is shown by the official schedule of the Northwest League which is released today, and in which for the first time, Victoria figures along with Vancouver, Seattle, Tacoma, Spokane and Portland.

Spokane, the winners of last year's pennant, will be the team that the locals fans will see first on the newly laid grounds at the Royal Athletic Park in competition with the Victoria squad.

HOCKEY STANDINGS

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Canadian Division

	W	L	D	F	A	P.
Toronto	18	16	4	97	90	40
Maroons	16	15	7	89	91	39
Americans	12	20	7	90	97	31
Canadiens	10	16	10	89	90	30

American Division

	W	L	D	F	A	P.
Detroit	19	11	7	91	74	45
Chicago	19	14	6	76	69	44
Rangers	15	14	10	78	62	40
Boston	17	18	2	72	65	37

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

	W	L	D	F	A	P.
Seattle	15	12	9	94	78	39
Vancouver	15	16	5	104	106	35
Portland	13	13	7	66	58	33
Edmonton	12	12	6	64	81	22
Calgary	12	15	4	89	104	30

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
Western Division

	W	L	D	F	A	P.
Detroit	23	15	2	117	90	48
Cleveland	16	18	2	108	128	38
Windsor	12	15	8	61	93	24
Pittsburgh	14	20	1	104	126	29

Eastern Division

	W	L	D	F	A	P.
Syracuse	21	16	2	124	110	44
London	19	17	2	93	97	40
Buffalo	17	14	5	84	78	39
Rochester	12	22	1	98	102	25

CANUCKS WIN CLOSE BATTLE

Dominion's Olympic Squad Gains 5-4 Victory Over Praha Club

PRAHA, Czechoslovakia, Feb. 25 (AP).—The touring Canadian Olympic hockey team tonight defeated the Praha Lawn Tennis Club, 5-4, in a hard-fought game.

The Canucks went on the offensive as the game started. The Czechoslovakians were slow, but their defence worked hard and broke up many threatening plays.

Hugh Farquharson tallied twice for the Olympians in the first period, while Kucera scored for Praha. The Canadians had most of the play in the second period. Trojak tied the score, but Gus Saxberg and Bill Thomson made it 4-2 in short order.

The home team took the offensive in the final period and Mentzel scored twice. Captain Norman Friday gave the Olympians the verdict with the final goal.

NEW ORLEANS RACING

FAIR GROUNDS, NEW ORLEANS, February 25.—Results here today follow:

First Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
War Saint (O'Malley) .. $4 40 $3 20 $ 2 90
Serviceman (Wrar) 5 80 4 00
Harold Wiley (Hapford) 12 20
Time, 1:09. Also ran: Wise Mona, Double Nugget, Maebee, Gold Thorn, Sun Dora.

Second Race—Mile and seventy yards:
French Maid (G. Smith) .$3 20 $3 20 $2 80
Sporting Maudie (O'Day) 4 60 2 40
Wild Transit (Manifold) 2 60
Time, 1:42 2-5. Also ran: Lanadier, Peggy's Peggy, Nassa Alone, Wild Daughter, Just Imagine.

Third Race—One mile:
Camp Parole (Mojena) .. $6 60 $2 60 $2 20
Bright Knot (Garrett) 2 20 2 00
Discobolus (Fredericks) 4 00
Time, 1:40 1-5. Also ran: Col. Cloister, Hot Flash, Julia Irene, Imelda, Osee, Miss Cohort, Catwalk, Green.

Fourth Race—Three furlongs:
Erb (Leyland) .... $11 80 $ 6 20 $ 4 80
Flying True (Burke) 22 00 11 20
John M Kovar (C. Hanford) 9 90
Time, :35 4-5. Also ran: Magnolia Cash, Vivola, Billy Mole, Quick Vine, Linnie Kate, Silver Palm, Brigler.

Fifth Race—Six furlongs:
Yule Star (Garrett) $11.40 $6 20 $5 20
Anna V. L. (Manifold) 2 60 3 40
Pan Toy (Cowley) 2 90
Time, 1:12 1-5. Also ran: Fitkin, Declaration, Sad Knight, Thistle Jock, Rizla.

Sixth Race—One mile:
Gilbert Elston (Parke) .. $10 10 $4 90 $2 40
Biff (Knight) 2 00 2 60
Crisiete (Hernandez) 5.00
Time, 1:36 2-5. Also ran: Red Diamond, Lady Federal, Rip Van Winkle, Hueu, Jokester.

Seventh Race—One mile:
Centennial (Chojnacki) .. $9 80 $4 80 $3 60
Coin (Mojena) 9 00 4 60
Justa Sheik (Lang) 2 20
Time, 1:39 2-5. Also ran: Shirley B., Irish Image, All Night, Sleepy Joe, Respect.

Eighth Race—One mile:
Two Brooms (Lang) .... $12 00 $5 40 $ 4 60
Long John (Chojnacki) 2 40 2 00
Edgar Boy (O. Smith) 10 80
Time, 1:42. Also ran: Brother Ben, Mint Jake, Shaun Padraic, Probationer, Ruben's Choice, Chagrin, Arctic Star, My Ione.
Track, fast; weather, clear.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

First Race—One mile:
My Gem 102
Fair Ken 112
Seven Colors 102
Congressman B 107
Pun 117
Little Ina 112
Airdale 112
Spanish Art 102
Early Call 107
Wee Emma 102
Aromia 102
Wild Count 102
Eager Belle 112
Pete Horback 107
Kidi Nadi 107
Sigro 97

Second Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Just Imperial 111
Macks Pal 106
Princess Jeun 97
Busy Lad 119
Jane Bouguess 106
Hervala 106
Sarazen 2nd 111
Forceful 116
Mint Drift 106
Panaloss 116
Southern Beauty 111
Papillote 109
Seth Polante 116
All Upset 116
Gallopette 111
Donna McGee 111
Bunty Ann 111
Anapola 111

Third Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Thistle Ginny 111
Deetees 111
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Hoop Fixtures Carded Tonight Are Called Off

CANCELLATION of the three Vancouver Island basketball play-off games set for this evening at the Victoria High School gymnasium, was announced last night by Wally Yeamans, Victoria delegate to the Vancouver Island play-off committee. Yeamans stated that Nanaimo is unable to make the trip because of weather conditions, and Ladysmith has defaulted its men's senior "C" series to Sooke. As this would leave only one game on the card, it was decided to call off the fixture. Sooke will now play Duncan for the Vancouver Island men's senior "C" title.

Rochdale Gains Victory

LONDON, Feb. 25 (AP).—Rochdale gained an 18-10 decision over St. Helen's Recs, in an English Rugby League fixture played today on the former's ground.

The deepest hole in the world is believed to be an oil well in Crane County, Texas, which has been drilled to a depth of 12,174 feet and is being made still deeper.

Present Standing of Clubs in Old Country Soccer

Including games of Saturday, February 22.

ENGLISH LEAGUE
First Division

	P	W	L	D	Goals F	Goals A	P
Sunderland	30	21	5	4	84	44	46
Derby County	30	14	7	9	44	29	37
Huddersfield T.	30	15	8	7	47	43	37
Stoke City	30	14	11	5	45	42	33
Arsenal	27	12	9	7	57	22	31
Birmingham	29	11	9	9	42	40	31
Portsmouth	28	12	10	6	39	44	30
Bolton Wanderers	29	10	10	9	46	53	29
West Bromwich A	29	13	13	2	68	52	28
Leeds United	28	10	10	8	43	39	28
Grimsby Town	30	12	14	4	54	53	28
Liverpool	29	10	12	7	44	45	27
Preston North End	29	11	12	5	43	44	27
Manchester City	29	12	14	3	43	46	27
Middlesbrough	28	11	14	5	56	51	27
Chelsea	27	9	10	8	39	51	26
Brentford	29	9	12	8	52	50	26
Wolverhampton W.	29	10	12	6	53	57	26
Everton	29	9	12	10	56	66	26
Sheffield W	29	9	13	7	51	60	25
Blackburn Rovers	30	9	16	5	40	70	23
Aston Villa	30	8	16	6	56	88	22

Second Division

	P	W	L	D	Goals F	Goals A	P
West Ham United	29	17	7	6	66	46	40
Sheffield United	28	17	9	6	63	27	40
Tottenham H	29	15	9	6	69	41	36
Charlton Athletic	29	14	7	8	52	29	26
Manchester United	29	14	7	8	55	29	24
Leicester City	29	15	10	4	53	39	24
Blackpool	30	12	11	6	65	51	32
Plymouth Argyle	30	12	11	6	50	42	32
Doncaster Rovers	30	14	12	4	42	51	32
Bury	30	11	10	9	52	34	31
Fulham	28	9	9	11	47	27	29
Newcastle United	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Nottingham Forest	31	11	14	6	82	59	26
Southampton	30	9	12	9	28	44	27
Swansea Town	30	10	13	7	49	57	27
Norwich City	29	11	14	4	49	49	26
Bradford	28	9	12	7	42	55	25
Burnley	29	9	13	7	25	42	25
Barnsley	30	9	16	6	42	63	24
Bradford City	26	7	12	6	22	50	22
Port Vale	28	7	16	5	28	79	19
Hull City	29	7	19	5	34	79	15

Third Division—Southern Section

	P	W	L	D	Goals F	Goals A	P
Coventry City	29	17	7	5	77	22	39
Luton Town	28	15	6	5	52	22	28
Crystal Palace	29	16	9	4	72	54	26
Queens Park R	29	15	6	6	62	43	29
Reading	29	17	12	0	63	50	34
Brighton and H A	29	14	10	5	57	46	33
Watford	28	12	9	6	52	37	22
Bournemouth	29	12	9	9	47	26	32
Gillingham	29	12	10	6	45	42	20
Torquay United	29	12	12	5	49	47	29
Notts County	29	10	11	6	43	29	28
Millwall	29	9	11	9	26	52	27
Bristol City	29	10	12	6	21	35	28
Aldershot	29	10	12	6	32	41	29
Bristol Rovers	29	9	12	7	49	64	25
Clapton Orient	27	10	12	4	36	41	24
Southend United	26	9	12	8	41	41	24
Swindon Town	29	9	14	9	46	56	24
Northampton Town	20	9	15	6	47	76	24
Cardiff City	29	7	14	9	41	54	22
Exeter City	30	7	15	8	42	59	22
Newport County	28	7	14	7	40	79	21

Third Division—Northern Section

	P	W	L	D.	Goals F	Goals A	P
Tranmere Rovers	28	18	3	7	74	35	43
Chesterfield	28	16	4	9	69	32	40
Chester	29	13	6	10	71	20	39
Lincoln City	27	14	6	7	60	21	35
Crewe Alexandra	31	14	11	6	54	53	34
Stockport County	28	13	9	6	48	36	32
Darlington	30	15	13	2	61	59	22
Hartlepool United	20	12	10	8	45	46	22
Accrington Stanley	20	14	12	4	54	59	22
Oldham Athletic	20	12	11	7	67	60	31
Walsall	27	11	9	7	57	35	29
Rotherham United	29	11	11	7	46	27	29
Gateshead	20	9	11	10	42	57	28
Wrexham	20	11	14	5	47	52	27
Carlisle United	29	10	13	6	24	45	26
Halifax Town	26	10	12	5	29	41	25
York City	26	9	13	6	46	77	24
Barrow	26	9	14	5	42	46	23
Mansfield Town	29	6	16	5	49	71	21
Rochdale	29	6	14	9	44	69	21
Southport	30	6	17	5	35	66	21
New Brighton	30	7	20	3	35	63	17

SCOTTISH LEAGUE
First Division

	P	W	L	D.	Goals F	Goals A	P
Celtic	29	23	4	2	64	26	49
Aberdeen	30	20	2	8	77	42	46
Rangers	26	20	2	9	65	32	46
Hearts	31	19	6	5	77	43	41
Motherwell	29	15	8	9	62	42	26
Partick Thistle	30	12	12	6	57	55	20
St Johnstone	29	12	11	5	59	56	29
Queen's Park	20	10	11	9	51	55	29
Kilmarnock	26	11	11	6	52	44	26
Dunfermline A	31	10	14	7	57	75	27
Arbroath	30	9	12	6	28	56	29
Third Lanark	26	10	14	5	41	46	25
Dundee	20	8	14	6	59	66	24
Hamilton Acad	30	9	15	6	51	64	24
Queen of South	30	9	15	9	42	59	24
Albion Rovers	20	11	17	2	56	73	24
Clyde	29	7	14	7	46	60	21
Airdrieonians	29	7	19	6	51	70	20
Hibernians	26	9	16	6	45	71	18
Ayr United	20	8	20	2	36	77	16

Second Division

	P	W	L	D	Goals F	Goals A	P
Falkirk	27	21	3	3	99	32	45
St Mirren	26	21	5	0	92	31	42
Alloa	26	19	6	2	51	43	25
Morton	25	15	6	4	70	38	24
St Bernards	26	14	6	4	84	55	22
East Fife	29	13	10	6	68	63	32
East Stirlingshire	27	12	8	7	59	46	34
Cowdenbeath	27	12	12	3	96	55	27
Dundee United	27	10	12	5	64	97	25
Leith Athletic	27	11	12	3	49	59	25
Montrose	27	11	12	2	49	64	25
Stenhousemuir	26	10	14	2	45	55	22
Forfar Athletic	27	6	12	9	44	62	22
Edinburgh City	26	9	14	8	49	65	22
King's Park	28	9	14	2	38	46	21
Brechin City	26	5	17	9	44	77	19
Dumbarton	26	5	17	9	44	77	19
Raith Rovers	28	5	19	2	42	70	12

Brown eyed the hat apprehensively.

"How much?" he asked the shop assistant.

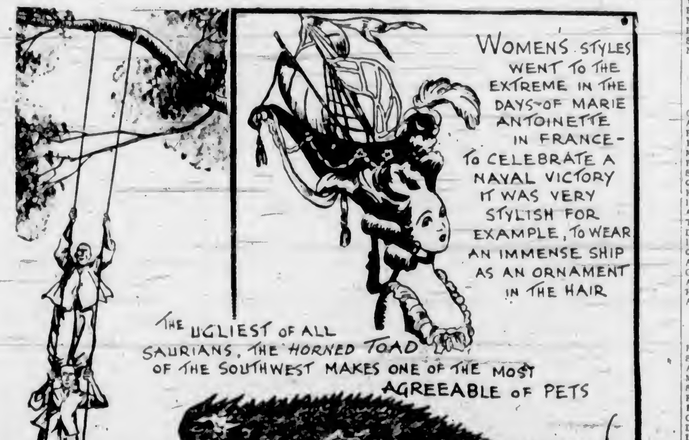
"That will be three and a half guineas," came the prompt reply.

"What!" ejaculated Brown. "Three and a half guineas for that thing! Why, it's a sin."

His wife edged nearer

"Never mind," she countered. "The sin will be on my head."

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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Security Prices Sag Sharply at New York Mart

NEW YORK, Feb. 25 (AP).—The most spectacular burst of selling in more than three months uncovered weakness in the stock market today and sent values down from 1 to 4 points.

Railroad securities appeared to have borne the brunt of the attack, and most of the well-known carriers went down from 1 to 2 or more points including Santa Fe, Baltimore & Ohio, New York Central, Pennsylvania and Union Pacific.

High-priced shares which declined 4 points or more included American Telephone.

Of the 918 issues traded today, there were 673 which declined and 112 which advanced. The Associated Press average of sixty stocks fell 1 point, the most for one day since November 22 last year.

The railroad division of the bond market felt sharp selling pressure during late trading, numerous issues being carried 1 to 2 points lower before the closing gong ended the session.

Foreign bonds were relatively steady. Fractional gains were shown in Belgium 6's and Denmark 4 1-2's. Italian 7's were 1 1-2 lower.

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Air Reduction	182 4		182 4
Allied Chemicals	189-4	187 6	188 4
Allis Chalmers	44	42	43
American Can	118	115 4	117 4
American For Power	7 6	..	7 6
American Locomotives	35 4	34	34
American Radiator	34 4	23 1	23 1
American Rolling Mills	32 7	31 6	31 8
American Smelter	67 2	65	65 2
American Sugar	58 4	55 4	55 4
American Tel.	174	170 2	170 2
American Tobacco	97 3	96	97 2
American Waterworks	22 7	22	22 1
Anaconda Copper	34 2	33 4	33 4
Atchison Railway	76 4	74	74
Atlantic Refining	32	30	31 3
Auburn	48 3	46 4	46 4
B. & O. Railway	22	21 3	21 6
Beth. Steel	57 4	55 6	56 1
Borden	29	28 4	28 4
Borg Warner	78	75	75
Briggs	59	57	57 1
Cal Pack	35 8		35 9
C P R	15 1	14 4	14 5
Case (J I)	118 4	112	113
Caterpillar Trac.	70	68 4	68 4
Celanese Corp	30	29	29
Cerro de Pasco	50 2	49 5	50 3
C. & O. Railway	59 3	58 1	59 1
Chrysler	97	94 1	94 1
Columbia Gas	18 5	18	18
Commercial Solvent	24	23 3	23
Con. Gas	33 8	33	33 1
Cont Oil	37 1	37	37
Deere & Co	71 0	69 1	69 1
Dome	47-7	47-4	47-4
Douglas Aircraft	70-3	68	68 8
Dupont (ex-d)	143-9	141 5	142 4
El. Auto Lite	42	40 4	40-7
Freeport Texas	32-4		32-4
General Food	35-1	34-8	34-5
Gen. Electric	40 3	39 3	39-2
General Motors	59 3	59-3	58-3
Goodyear	27-7	37 1	37 1
Great West Sugar	33-3	33-5	32 5
Great Northern	42-8	40-2	40-7
Harvester	69-2	68	68
Howe Sound	53-5	52-3	52 3
Hudson	17-7	17	17
Hupmobile Motors	3 1	3	3
Ind. Rayon	31-4	30 5	30-5
Int. Nickel	51 7	50	51
Int. Tel	18	17-2	17-3
Johns Manville	124 4	131	131
Kennecott Copper	37-6	36 3	36-2
Kresge	24 1	23 5	24
L. & M. Tobacco	108	107 6	108
Liquid Carbonic	38 3	37 8	38
Loew's	49-1	48 4	49
Lorillard	22-7	22 5	22-8
Mack Truck	35-2	34	34-4
Matheson Alkali	35-5	34-7	34-7
May Stores	47		47
McIntyre	44 1	43 1	43 1
Mex. Sea Oil	34 1	33-2	33 2
Montgomery Ward	39-5	38-3	39
Nash	21	19 6	19 7
National Biscuit	34-3	33 5	34
Nat Dairy	34-3	33-3	24
National Distilleries	31	30 1	30 2
National Power & Lite	10 3	10 2	10 3
New York Central	39 3	37 7	37-7
North American	26-6	26	26
Northern Pacific	35	33 4	33 5
Ohio Oil	18	..	18
Packard	11 2	11	11
Patino	14 3	..	14 3
J C Penny	72 4		73 4
Penn. Railway	37 4	38 4	38-4
People's Gas	44 4	44	44
Pullman	46 8	48	48
Radio	12-3	12	13
Rem Rand	33 3	31 7	23-3
Republic Iron Steel	24-5	33-3	23 7
Reynold's Tob	59-5	56-3	56 2
Safeway Stores	33 4	33 2	33-3
Schenley	48 7	48 5	48-6
Sears Roebuck	63-5	62 1	63
Shell	18-3	16 1	19-1
South Cal. Edison	28 4	35 7	35 7
South Porto Rico	32 4	31 5	31 5
South Pacific	36-7	35	35
Standard Brands	17 7	17	17-2
Standard Gas	7 4	7	7
Standard Oil, Cal.	45-6	44 6	45
Standard Oil, N.J.	60 2	59 1	59 1
Socony Vacuum	15 7	15 5	15-5
Studebaker	13	12 4	12 4
Swift & Co.	24-2	24	24
Texas Corp.	35 2	34	34 1
Texas Gulf	38	36 8	36 3
Timken	70	69 6	70
Trans. America	14	14	14
United Gas & Imp.	17	18 5	18 6
Underwood Elliot	90		90
Union Carbide	83 4	81 2	81 3
Union Oil, Cal.	27 4		27 4
Union Pacific	133	132	132
United Airways	29-5	38 4	28 4
United Fruit	74 8		74 8
U S Alcohol	42-2	41 3	41 3
U S Pipe & Found	35	34	34 4
U S Rubber	19 2	18 5	19
U S Steel	62 5	61 2	61 5
U S Smelting	85-4	95	95
Vanadium	25	23 8	23 6
Warner Bros.	14	13-6	13
Westinghouse	117 3	114-6	114 6
Western Union	50	98 3	88 2
Woolworth	53 5	53-4	52-4

TORONTO MINES BREAK SHARPLY

Losses Recorded Over Broad Front—Market Steadies Before Close

TORONTO, Feb. 25 (CP).—The mining section of the Toronto Exchange ran into selling squalls today and prices were swept downward to show heavy losses at the close. The gold index lost more than 2 points and miscellaneous mines nearly 4 points. The market steadied before the close and made scattered recoveries but the closing tone was weak.

A display of weakness on the New York board appeared to be the inspiration for local selling sentiment. A sharp sell-off in God's Lake to 1.05 helped kindle a feeling of nervousness and by mid-afternoon selling was general.

God's Lake recovered to 1.12 to net a drop of 8 cents. Twenty-seven thousand shares came out. In the early trading Contaurum had advanced to 2.64 from which level it tumbled to 2.36. Firming in the last half-hour the price closed at 2.47 for a net loss of 5 cents. Other wide losses in the group were 35 cents for Buffalo-Ankerite, 20 for Little Long Lac, 20 for Macassa, 12 for Pickle Crown and 10 for Quebec Mines.

Fractional losses went to McIntrye, Dome and Hollinger while Pioneer fell back 50 cents, Wright-Hargreaves 30 and Bralorne 10. Losses up to 3 cents were showing at the close in most of the active penny stocks.

Early strength in the base metals turned to weakness and Noranda and Hudson Bay closed about a point down each.

Nipissing	3 75	2 85
Noranda	48 25	48 50
Parkhill	.24	.26
Paymaster	.75	.77
Perron Gold	1 41	1 42
Pickle Crow	4 89	4 70
Pioneer	10 35	10 60
Premier	1 95	1 98
Reid Aubier	1 82	1 95
Reno	1.12	1 13
Royalite	35.50	36 50
San Antonio	3 00	3 03
Sherritt-Gordon	1.14	1 15
Siscoe	3.25	3 30
St. Anthony	.28	.30
Stadacona	.34	.35
Sudbury Basin	4 35	4 45
Sullivan	1 02	1 03
Sylvanite	3 81	3 83
Teck-Hughes	4 95	5 00
Toburn	1.35	1 37
Ventures	2 37	2 40
Wayside	.18	.18
Wright Hargreaves	8 40	8 60
Central Manitoba	.19½	.21

(Mara, Bate & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Acme	.16	.17
Ajax	.82	.85½
Bagamac	.08½	.10
Base Metals	.25	.28
Bear Exploration	.37	.40
Beattie	1.60	1.65
Big Missouri	.63	.64
Bobjo	.16½	.17
Bralorne	8 60	8.75
B R X	.08½	.10
Buffalo Ankerite	5 05	5.50
C. & E. Corpn.	1 24	1.28
Canadian Malartic	1 08	1 10
Cariboo	1 36	1.39
Castle Trethaway	1 42	1 45
Central Patricia	2 89	3.00
Chemical Research	1.20	1.30
Chibougamau	.49	.50
Coast Copper	3 50	3.55
Coniaurum	2 47	2.50
Dome	47.00	47.75
Eldorado	1 18	1 19
Falconbridge	9 05	5 10
God's Lake	1 13	1 19
Granada	.22	.24
Greene Stabell	.27	.29
Gunnar	.80	.81
Hollinger	15 50	15 75
Home Oil	1 28	1 30
Howey	.64	.66
Hudson Bay	37.12½	37 50
Jackson Manion	.45	.45½
Kirkland Lake	.47	.49
Lakeshore	57 00	57 50
Little Long Lac	6 90	7 05
Macassa	4 45	4 50
McVittie Graham	.35	.39
McWatters	1 44	1.45
Mining Corpn.	1.36	1.39
Morris Kirkland	.63	.65

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" "	1938	5 %	102 375	103 125
" "	1939	4 %	106 75	107 75
" "	1940	4½ %	109 875	110 75
" "	1941	5 %	112 75	113 625
" "	1942	3 %	104 00	105 00
" "	1943	5 %	113 625	114 50
" "	1944	4 %	111 50	112 50
" "	1945	4 %	107 875	108 75
" "	1948	4½ %	111 50	112 50
" "	1949	3½ %	103 875	103 75
" "	1952	4 %	106 75	107 50
" "	1956	4½ %	109 125	109 875
" "	1957	4½ %	109 25	110 00
" "	1959	4½ %	109 375	110 125
" "	1959	4½ %	109 50	110 25
" "	1955	3 %	87 375	88 25
C N R	1951	4½ %	112 875	113 475
"	1958	4 %	112 75	114 25
"	1957	4 %	111 125	112 00
"	1955	4½ %	115 25	118 25
"	1969	5 %	115 75	116 75
"	1970	5 %	117 50	119 00
"	1954	5 %	115.125	118 35
"	1950	3 %	87 50	88 75
"	1944	3 %	103 375	103 50

Liverpool Wheat

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 25 (CP).—Following are today's per-bushel wheat quotations, c.i.f. Liverpool, in Canadian funds at current sterling exchange rate of $4 89, as supplied by Broomhall.

	Today	Y'day
No. 1 Man. Northern, Vancouver, March	98⅞	99
No. 3 Man. Northern, Atlantic, March	98	87½
No. 3 Man. Northern, Vancouver, March	98⅛	85⅛
Australian, Afloat	93½	93¼
Australian, March	94⅛	82⅝
French, Feb.	79	80⅛

New York Curb

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Amer. Cynamid "B"	38⅛	38⅞
Amer. Gas & Electric	39⅝	39⅞
Amer. Super	2⅞	2⅞
Associated Gas	1⅜	1⅛
Brazilian Traction	14⅛	14½
Cities Service	5½	5⅝
Electric Bond	18⅛	18⅜
Ford "A"	38⅛	38⅛
Ford of England	9⅛	9
Hudson Bay	37½	37⅝
Humble	68	70
Intl. Pete	37⅛	37⅜
Imperial Oil	23⅛	23⅞
Newmont	89	90
Pioneer	10½	10⅝
Standard Oil of Kentucky	22	22⅛
Amer. Aluminum	116	117
United Gas	5⅜	5½
United Power & Light "A"	4⅝	4⅝
Niagara-Hudson Power	9⅛	9⅝
Distillers, England	25⅛	25⅛
Gulf Oil	90	91
Atlas Corpn	14⅛	15
Marconi	2½	2⅞
Fisk	5⅛	9⅛
Creo Pete	30⅛	30⅝
Cord	8	8⅛
Lakeshore	57⅛	57½
Teck Hughes	5	5⅛
Hecla	14	14½
Parke Davis	47⅛	49
Wright-Hargreaves	9⅛	8⅞
Sunshine	20	20⅛

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 25 (AP).—Foreign exchange steady. Quotations in cents.
France—Demand 6.87½; cables 6.87½.
Italy—Demand 8.03; cables 8.03.
Demand:
Belgium—17.04
Germany—Free 40.65; reg. tourist 25.00; reg. commercial 23.25.
Holland—68.68
Norway—25.09
Sweden—25.75
Denmark—22.30
Finland—2.33.
Switzerland—33.03
Spain—13.64
Portugal—4.54⅛.
Greece—.88
Poland—19.15.
Czechoslovakia—4.30
Jugoslavia—2.33.
Austria—18.05.
Tokio—28.18
Shanghai—30.30.
Hongkong—33.10
Mexico City—27.85
Montreal—In New York—100.06⅛.
New York—In Montreal—99.90⅞.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 25 (AP).—Quotations in dollars. Demand 4.99½; cables 4.99½; sixty-day bills 4.98½.

WHEAT PRICES GAIN SLIGHTLY

Futures Stronger in Sporadic Buying at Winnipeg—Chicago Values Up

WINNIPEG, Feb. 25 (CP).—Trading on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange today was of a sporadic nature, with local buying for export and light offerings combining to send prices fractionally higher.

Strength at Chicago also aided in the fractional advances registered during the featureless session. At times the pit was deserted. At the close wheat futures registered gains of 1-8 to 3-8 cent per bushel, May closing at 84 3-8 cents, July at 85 1-4 and October 84 1-2.

Most of the light offerings were credited to the Wheat Board and local buyers. Sales of Canadian wheat since Monday's close were estimated to be in excess of 300,000 bushels.

The cash wheat market continued on an odd-lot basis with a little activity in the top grades.

WINNIPEG GRAIN
(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

Wheat—	P.C.	Open	High	Low	Close
May	84⅛	84⅜	84⅝	84¼	b84⅜
July	85½	85⅜	85½	85⅛	b85¼
Oct	84⅛	84⅛	84⅝	84⅛	b84½
Oats—					
May	a32⅝	32⅝	32⅝	33⅝	b33⅞
July	a32⅛	33⅛	32⅞	32⅛	b32⅛
Rye—					
May	45½	45⅛	45⅛	45½	45⅝
July	a48½	48½	48⅝	49⅝	48⅝
Oct	a48⅛	b48			48⅛
Barley—					
May	38⅛	38⅞	38⅞	39⅛	b39⅞
July	a39⅝	39½	39½	39⅛	b38⅛

Cash Grain

Wheat—1 Hard, 83½; 1 Nor., 82½; 2 Nor., 79⅜; 3 Nor., 75⅛; 4 Nor., 72⅛; No. 5, 64⅛; No. 6, 55⅛; Feed, 48⅛; Track, 82½; Amber Durum No. 1, 78⅛; No. 2, 71⅜; No. 3, 64⅝; No. 4, 51⅛; Track, 76⅛; A R W No. 1, 73⅜; No. 2, 70⅜; No. 3, 68⅜; Garnet No. 1, 77⅛; No. 2, 74⅝.

Oats—2 C.W., 38⅛; 3 C.W., 30⅛; Ex. 1 Feed, 30⅛; 1 Feed, 38; 2 Feed, 35⅛; 3 Feed, 23⅛; Track, 35⅛.

Barley—2 R.O.W., 44⅛; 5 R.O.W., 45⅛; 3 C.W., 36⅞; 4 C.W., 35⅛; 5 C.W., 33⅛; 6 C.W., 31⅞; Track, 37⅛.

Rye—1 C.W., 43⅛; 2 C.W., 43⅛; 3 C.W., 38; Rej., 38½; 4 C.W., 36½; Track, 44.

Flax—1 N.W.C., 159; 2 C.W., 154½; 3 C.W., 144; 4 C.W., 135; Track, 158½.

CHICAGO GRAIN
(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

Wheat—	P.C.	Open	High	Low	Close
May	99⅛	99½	99⅛	99⅛	99⅝
July	89⅛	89⅛	80½	89⅛	90⅛
Sept.	88⅛	88⅛	99⅛	88⅛	89⅛
Corn—					
May	60⅛	60⅛	60½	60⅛	60⅝
July	60⅛	60⅛	60	60½	60½
Sept.	60½	60⅛	60⅛	60½	60⅛
Oats—					
May	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛
July	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛
Sept.	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛
Rye—					
May	..	57	57⅛	56⅝	59⅛
July	..	..	..	..	58
Sept.	..	..	..	..	55⅛

London Stocks

LONDON, Feb. 25 (CP).—Closing quotations on stocks and bonds in London follow:

Stocks—Brazilian Traction, $14½; Canadian Pacific Railway, $15; International Nickel, $52⅛; Anglo Dutch, 29s 3d; British American Tobacco, 126s 3d; British Celanese, 13s 1½d; Central Mining, £24½; Courtaulds, 56s 7½d; De Beers, £8; Imperial Tobacco, 153s 9d; Mining Trust, Ltd., 4s 7½d; Rand Mines, £8⅛; Crown Mines, £113⅛; Springs, 43s 1½d; East Geduld, £9⅛; Rhodesian Corporation, 13s 9d; Rhokana Corporation, £6⅛.

Bonds—British 2½ per cent Consols, £85⅛; British 3½ per cent War Loan, £107⅛; British Funding 4's, 1960-90, £118⅞.

Montreal Produce

MONTREAL, Feb. 25 (CP).—Prices were easier and volume fairly heavy on the produce section of Canadian Commodity Exchange today.

Butter—Close, regraded, 23¼c.

Cheese—Spot, Ontario white, 10¾ @ 11½c.

Eggs—Spot, Ontario, "A" large, 31 @ 32c.

Foreign Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Australia 5%, 1957	104 875	103 275
Belgium 6%, 1955	106 75	109 25
Bogota 6%, 1945	30 35	20 75
Denmark 4½%, 1955	101 75	102.25
French 7½%, 1941	182 25	182 75
German Gov't 7%, 1949	37.00	37.50
Italy 7%, 1951	99 75	99.25
Japan 6½%, 1954	98 00	98 50
Minas Geraes 6½%, 1958	19 875	18 375
Norway 6%, 1944	105.25	106 75
Queensland 6%, 1947	109 75	110.25
Rome 6½%, 1952	80 75	61 35

Above prices in New York

CALGARY LIVESTOCK

CALGARY, Feb. 25 (CP).—Cattle market moderately active.

Good butcher steers, 3.75 @ 4.00; good heifers, 3.25 @ 3.50; good cows, 2.50 @ 3.00; good bulls, 2.50 @ 2.75; bolognas, 2.00 @ 2.25.

Medium veal calves, 3.75 @ 4.00.

No hogs were sold.

Latest prices, selects, 8.25; bacons, 7.75; butchers, 7.25, all off truck.

MINES LOWER AT VANCOUVER

Golds and Oils Drop When Profit-Taking Sweeps Across Board

VANCOUVER, Feb. 25 (CP).—With a single exception active issues closed unchanged to lower as profit taking crept into trading on the Vancouver Stock Exchange today and halted rising prices of the past few days. Sales totaled 234,785 shares.

Mar Jon features heavy trading in the oil group but closed off 3-4 at 17 1-4 cents. Calgary & Edmonton was down 10 at 1.18, Home 6 at 1.27, Dalhousie 9 at 65, Ranchmen's 4 at 71; Mercury at 17 1-4, Highwood at 15 3-4 and Freehold at 8 were down one cent. Other oils were fractionally lower.

One exception on today's trading showed Wayside up one cent at 18. Pioneer dropped 45 at 10.30, and Bralorne 15 at 6.65. Cariboo Gold Quartz and Premier Gold each lost 3 cents at 1.32 and 1.97, respectively. Island Mountain at 1.23 and Ymir Yankee Girl at 48 each dropped 2 cents. Other precious metals were slightly lower.

Base metals were dull. Pend Oreille was off 3 at 1.06, Big Missouri 2 at 63 and B.C. Nickel at 23 1-2 and Golconda at 19 1-2 were each off a fraction.

(C. B. Henley & Co., Ltd.)

OILS

Amalgamated—A.M. sales: 1,800 at .10; 2,500 at .09½; 5,000 at .09; 1,000 at .09¾. P.M. sales: 3,000 at .09.

A.P. Consolidated—A.M. sales: 100 at .17¾; 100 at .18. P.M. sales: 100 at .18; 3,000 at .17; 240 at .18½.

Baltac—A.M. sales: 3,500 at .04½.

C. & E. Corpn.—A.M. sales: 1,300 at 1.28; 100 at 1.37; 60 at 1.33; 1,000 at 1.35; 600 at 1.30; 100 at 1.21; 1,000 at 1.20; 1,350 at 1.26; 200 at 1.25. P.M. sales: 100 at 1.23; 200 at 1.22; 300 at 1.21; 2,450 at 1.20; 100 at 1.19.

Calmont—P.M. sales: 100 at .10½; 1,000 at .11.

Crow's Nest—A.M. sales: 4,000 at .09; 2,000 at .09⅛; 1,000 at .09⅛; 1,000 at .08; 500 at .08⅛. P.M. sales: 1,000 at .08⅛.

Dalhousie—A.M. sales: 500 at .70; 500 at .68. P.M. sales: 500 at .69.

Freehold—P.M. sales: 600 at .08½.

Home—A.M. sales: 500 at 1.41; 410 at 1.38; 900 at 1.32; 700 at 1.30; 100 at 1.28; 100 at 1.38; 1,000 at 1.27; 250 at 1.35; 300 at 1.32; 800 at 1.20. P.M. sales: 300 at 1.35; 100 at 1.37; 600 at 1.38.

Mar Jon—A.M. sales: 15,100 at .18½; 11,800 at .18; 1,000 at .19½; 6,000 at .15⅛; 11,600 at .18; 1,000 at .17⅛; 2,000 at .17; 1,000 at .16½; 5,700 at .17½. P.M. sales: 3,000 at .17½.

Mercury—A.M. sales: 3,300 at .18; 200 at .18½; 11,300 at .17½; 1,000 at .17⅛; 1,500 at .17½. P.M. sales: 1,500 at .17½.

Merland—A.M. sales: 1,950 at .18.

Model—A.M. sales: 200 at .32½. P.M. sales: 300 at .37.

Ranchman's—A.M. sales: 1,000 at .75; 300 at .73; 300 at .70; 500 at .74. P.M. sales: 100 at .75; 300 at .74.

United—A.M. sales: 2,000 at .05½; 9,000 at .08. P.M. sales: 3,000 at .05.

MINES

B.C. Nickel—A.M. sales: 5,300 at .24½; 3,000 at .34. P.M. sales: 1,000 at .24.

Big Missouri—A.M. sales: 2,350 at .65. P.M. sales: 1,000 at .64.

Bralorne—A.M. sales: 100 at 6.85; 150 at 8.50. P.M. sales: 300 at 8.70.

B.R.X.—A.M. sales: 500 at .10.

Canadian Rand—A.M. sales: 500 at .07.

Cariboo Gold—A.M. sales: 40 at 1.39; 400 at 1.37; 300 at 1.38; 100 at 1.36. P.M. sales: 50 at 1.38; 300 at 1.35; 100 at 1.34.

Dentonia—A.M. sales: 1,000 at .24½; 300 at .35. P.M. sales: 300 at .24; 500 at .23½.

Dictator—A.M. sales: 2,000 at .03.

Golconda—A.M. sales: 1,000 at .20.

Gold Belt—A.M. sales: 300 at .36; 1,000 at .35.

Gold Mountain—A.M. sales: 1,000 at .09; 1,000 at .07¾; 1,000 at .07½; 1,000 at .07¾.

Grull Wihksne—A.M. sales: 1,000 at .08½.

Hedley Amalgamated—A.M. sales: 500 at .34.

Minto—A.M. sales: 1,500 at .08; 1,000 at .07¾. P.M. sales: 1,000 at .08.

Nicola—A.M. sales: 1,000 at .08¾; 2,000 at .09¼. P.M. sales: 400 at .08½; 300 at .09.

Noble Five—A.M. sales: 3,000 at .04½.

Pend Oreille—A.M. sales: 300 at 1.12; 500 at 1.10; 400 at 1.08.

Premier—A.M. sales: 300 at 2.01; 400 at 2.00; 400 at 1.99; 100 at 1.58; 700 at 1.97. P.M. sales: 150 at 1.98.

Reno—A.M. sales: 300 at 1.13; 100 at 1.14. P.M. sales: 100 at 1.13.

Vanalta Limited—A.M. sales: 1,500 at .09; 1,000 at .08⅛; 1,000 at .08.

Wayside—A.M. sales: 1,000 at .18; 1,300 at .18½.

INDUSTRIALS

Coast Breweries Rights—A.M. sales: 20 at 4.50.

Bond Quotations

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

MUNICIPAL

	Bid	Asked
Municipality of Esquimalt 5%, 1963	....	88.00
City of Victoria 5%, 1945	....	99 00
City of Vancouver 5%, 1965	....	94 00
Greater Vancouver Water District 4½%, 1970	99.75	101.75
City of Edmonton 5½%, 1947	89 00	91 00
City of Edmonton 7%, 1941	....	101 00
City of Montreal 5%, 1945	105.50	107 50
City of Quebec 6%, 1951	107 50	109 50
Toronto Harbor 4½%, 1953	106 50	108 50

PROVINCIAL

	Bid	Asked
Prov. of Alberta 4%, 1957	86.00	88 35
Prov. of Alberta 4½%, 1961	87 25	89 75
Prov. of Alberta 9%, 1955	90 75	92 75
Prov. of Alberta 5%, 1947	84 75	58 75
Prov. of B.C. 4%, 1957	95.78	97.25
Prov. of B.C. 4½%, 1960	97 75	99 75
Prov. of B.C. 5%, 1953	98.75	101.25
Prov. of B.C. 5½%, 1945	101 75	102 75
Prov. of B.C. 8%, 1947	103 75	104.75
Prov. of Manitoba 4%, 1957	99 25	100.25
Prov. of Manitoba 4%, 1951	102 00	103 00
Prov. of Manitoba 5½%, 1956	108 35	108 75
Prov. of Ontario 4%, 1966	103 75	103.75
Prov. of Ontario 4½%, 1965	108 25	110.35
Prov. of Quebec 4½%, 1958	109 00	111.00
Prov. of Quebec 4½%, 1963	110 35	112 25
Prov. of Sask. 4%, 1954	81 25	92 50
Prov. of Sask. 4½%, 1951	97 75	99 25
Prov. of Sask. 5%, 1958	100 25	101 75
Prov. of Sask. 5½%, 1952	103 25	104 75
Prov. of Sask. 6%, 1952	105 75	107.35

Corporation Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

PUBLIC UTILITIES

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Power 5%, 1960	104 50	108 00
B.C. Telephone 5%, 1960	107 00	109 50
B.C. Electric 5%, Pfd.	108 25	110.25
B.C. Telephone 6%, Pfd.	106 75	108 25
Beauharnois Power 5%, 1973	29 35	30 75
Calgary Power 5%, 1960	103 00	104.50
C.P.R. 5%, 1954	106 50	108 50
Can. Nor. Power 5%, 1953	102.50	104 00
Gatineau Power "A" 6%, 1941	88 35	90 75
Gatineau Power "B" 6%, 1941	86 75	99 25
Western Power 5%, 1949	105 75	107.75

INDUSTRIALS

	Bid	Asked
Burns Bundles 5%, 1958	89 50	90 50
Canada Steamships 6%, 1941	60 00	61 50
Canada Cement 5½%, 1947	105 75	107 25
General Steel Wares 6%, 1952	100 50	101 50
Federal Grain 6%, 1949	99 75	101 75
McColl-Frontenac 6%, 1948	105 00	107 00
Simpson's Ltd. 6%, 1949	104 75	106 75

Vancouver Wheat

VANCOUVER, Feb. 25 (CP).—Vancouver wheat cash prices.

	Straight	Tough
No. 1 Hard	83⅛	81⅛
No. 1 Northern	82⅛	80⅛
No. 2 Northern	81⅛	79⅛
No. 3 Northern	78⅛	73⅛
No. 4 Northern	73⅛	70⅛
No. 5 Wheat	65⅛	61⅛
No. 6 Wheat	55⅛	50⅛
Feed	45⅛	42⅛
Track, 82⅞		

Interlisted Stocks Lead Recession at Eastern Exchanges

MONTREAL, Feb. 25 (CP).—Prices dipped a point or more on Montreal Stock Exchange today, influenced by a bearish trend on Wall Street.

Noranda dropped more than 2 points at 47⅞. Nickel showed a loss of only ⅜ while Hollinger eased.

Drops of a point each were shown by Distillers-Seagrams and National Breweries preferred, while small losses predominated for Associated Breweries, National common and Canadian Industrial Alcohol.

Oils and mines displayed weakness on the curb market. Imperial British American and International Pete dipped fractionally.

Newsprints were barely steady. Abitibi preferred lost nearly a point.

Liquors were quiet and unchanged. Losses of from 5 to 10 cents were boarded for Falconbridge, Pickle Crow, Siscoe and Sullivan.

TORONTO EXCHANGE

TORONTO, Feb. 25 (CP).—The Toronto industrial share market turned heavy and then definitely weak today, closing with a loss of 2 points showing in the exchange index. Heavy selling developed in Nickel and Brazilian Traction, while other inter-listed leaders worked substantially lower on comparatively small volume. Sixty stocks lost ground and only fifteen closed higher. There was a modest rebound from the day's lows, with trading slow, however, in the final stage. Volume was about the same as on Monday.

Nickel closed at 50⅜, a net decline of a point. Brazilian Traction closed ⅜ off at 14⅛. Canadian Pacific forfeited ⅜. Ford "A" ⅛ and Consolidated Smelters 5½.

Oil stocks were slow to follow the downward trek and Imperial and International Petroleum limited their losses to ⅛ each, while British American, McColl common and Pantepec dropped ⅛ each. Industrial Alcohol "A" weakened ⅛ to 12, Distillers-Seagrams 1⅛ to 29⅞, and Walkers common closed unchanged.

Banks were quiet with recessions held within 2 points. Losses of small fractions appeared in the foods, but heavy industrials and utilities took the count for recessions, exceeding a point in some cases.

(C. M. Oliver & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
A P Grain	5	8
Abitibi Power & Paper	2	3⅛
B A Oils	21	21⅜
Building Products	35	36
Bell Telephone	145½	
Blue Ribbon	4	4½
Brewing Corpn	2⅛	3
Brewers & Distillers	1 10	1 15
Bruck Silk Mills	14⅛	15⅛
Burt & Co	43½	44⅛
Canada Bud	7⅛	7½
Canada Cannera	4½	5
Canada Cement	7	7⅛
Canada Malting	33⅛	34
Canada Dredge	40⅛	41
Canada Wire & Cable A	18	18
Canada Wire & Cable B	8	10⅛
Can. General Electric		165
Canadian Oils	15½	19
Canadian Pacific	14⅛	14½
Cockshutt Plow	8⅛	8
Consolidated Smelters	232	237
Cosmos Imp. Mills	30	20⅛
Dominion Stores	10⅛	10⅛
Ford "A"	36½	36⅛
General Steel Wares	4⅛	5
Gypsum	7½	7⅛
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	71	71½
Goodyear Tire & Rubber Pfd	58½	60
Hamilton Bridge	5⅛	5½
Hiram Walker	32	33
Imperial Oil	33½	33⅛
Imperial Tobacco	14⅛	14⅛
Intl Nickel	50⅛	50⅞
Industrial Alcohol	9⅛	10½
Intl. Utilities "A"	10	10⅛
Lake of the Woods	20½	21
Laura Secord	87	
Loblaw "A"	19⅛	19⅛
Loblaw "B"	17⅛	18½
Montreal Power	33	33⅛
McColl-Frontenac	16⅛	17
National Steel Car	18⅛	17½
Page Hersey	89½	
Shawinigan	22⅛	22⅛
Weston	18	16⅛
Winnipeg Electric	3⅛	4

BANKS

	Bid	Asked
Bank of Canada	53½	
Canadian Bank of Commerce	188	
Dominion Bank	217	320
Imperial Bank	319	
Bank of Montreal	210	313
Bank of Nova Scotia	298	300
Royal Bank	179	185
Bank of Toronto	235	..

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. AMES & CO., VICTORIA)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	145½	148
Brazilian T. L. & P.	14⅛	14½
B A Oil	22	23⅛
B.C. Power "A"	32⅛	
Canada Cement	7	7⅛
Canada Cement, Pfd.	88	88½
Canadian Pacific	14⅛	15
Con Mining & Smelting	234	236
Ford "A"	28½	27
Gypsum Lime & Alab.	7⅛	7⅛
Imperial Oil	23⅛	23⅞
Imperial Tobacco	14⅛	14⅛
Intl. Nickel	51⅛	51⅛
Intl. Petroleum	37⅛	37⅛
McColl-Frontenac	18⅛	17
McColl-Frontenac, Pfd	101	103
Montreal Power, Com	33⅛	33½
Shawinigan W. & P.	22½	22⅛
Bralorne	9 70	6 85
Dome	47⅛	48⅛
Lakeshore	57⅛	57⅛
Macassa	4 60	4 82
Noranda	49⅛	49⅛
Pioneer Gold	10 70	10 85
Premier	1 98	1 98
Sherritt-Gordon	1.16	1 18
Sudbury Basin	4 85	4 70
Teck-Hughes	5 00	5 02
Ventures	2 45	2.50
Wright-Hargreaves	9 60	8 70
Bank of Montreal	209	213
Royal Bank	177	185

Retail Markets

Fruits

Bananas ..... lb. .10; dozen,	35 to	40
Grapefruit— California, dozen, 35, 45,	50	60
Lemons— California dozen, .25,	.30 and	40
Oranges— Navels, dozen	15 to	.60
Japanese Marmalade, doz.,	35 and	45
Grapes— Emperor		30
Almirias		30
Pears, dozen	30 to	45
Apples— Cooking	7 lbs. for	35
Table	3 and 4 lbs. for	25
Rhubarb, per lb		.06
Calavos, small, each	.15 and	20
Cranberries, per lb		35

Vegetables

Artichokes, each		.15
Cauliflower, each	20 and	.25
Celery	.10, 15 and	20
Local Cabbage	per lb.	.05
California Cabbage	per lb	.07
Parsley, bunch		07
Peas, lb		20
Spinach	3 lbs. for	25
Tomatoes— Mexican, lb	20 to	35
Root— Beets, lb		.02½
California bunch carrots	2 for	.15
Onions		.03½
Turnips, lb		.03
Potatoes— Local	12 lbs. for	35
Yams	3 lbs. for	35
Kamloops	11 lbs. for	25
Ashcroft	10 lbs. for	35
New .... lb. .11,	2 lbs. for	35

Cheese

English Stilton, lb	.85
Imported Roquefort, lb	.73
Finest Ontario, mild, lb	.20
Old Ontario, lb	.30
Medium Ontario, lb	.25
Gorgonzola, lb	.60
Swiss Gruyere, in portions, box	.40
Circle Brand Breakfast Cheese	40
Kraft, lb	.32
Canadian Stilton, lb	.30

Fish

Smoked Red Salmon		.35
Soles, 2 lbs.		.25
Red Salmon, lb.		.30
Local Cured Black Cod		.20
Large Eastern Kippers, lb.		.20
Local Kippers, 3 lbs.		.25
Fresh Cod		.15
Ladysmith Oysters, half pint		.25
Salt Cod		.25
Digby Chix, box		.29
Haddies, lb	20 to	.35
Boneless Herring		30
Smoked Cod	20 and	.25
Haddie Fillets	18 to	.22
Fresh Smelts		.20
Local Bloaters, 2 lbs		.25
Sooke Shrimps, per lb		.28

Wholesale Poultry

Chicken, per lb.	27 to	.29
Heavy Fowl, per lb		.18
Light Fowl, per lb.		.15
Grade A: per lb		.32
Grade B, per lb		.30
Grade C, per lb.		.28
Geese, per lb		.22

Dairy Produce and Eggs

Eggs— Grade A, large, doz	40
Grade A, medium, doz.	39
Grade A, pullet, doz.	37

Butter

Brookfield, lb	30
Shamrock, lb	30
Cowichan Creamery, lb	34
Handypats, lb	.32
Saltspring Island, lb	.34
Our Own Brand, lb	.30
Comox, lb	.34
Fraser Valley, lb	30

Beef

Prime Rib Beef		.28
Loin Roast		.30
Pot Roast	.15 to	.19
T-Bone Roast	.25 to	.35
Round Steak	.25 to	.35
Rump Roast	.22 to	.28
Boiling Beef		.10
Hamburg Steak		.12½
Stew Beef (boneless)		.15

Lamb

Shoulder	.15

Pork

Leg	.28
Loins	.30
Shoulder	.30

Metal Markets

LONDON, Feb. 25 (AP).—Closing: Copper, standard spot, £35 17s 6d; future, £36 5s; electrolytic, spot, £40; future, £40 10s. Tin, spot, £208 10s; future, £201 10s. Lead, spot, £16 7s 6d; future, £16 10s. Zinc, spot, £15 15s; future, £16.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Feb. 25 (AP).—Copper quiet; electrolytic, spot and future, 9.25-9.50; export 9.00. Tin firmer; spot and nearby, 47.75; future, 46.50. Iron quiet, unchanged. Lead steady; spot, New York, 4.50-4.55; East St. Louis, 4.35. Zinc firm; East St. Louis, spot and future, 4.90. Aluminum, 19.00-22.00. Antimony, spot, 13.25.

DIVIDENDS DECLARED

National Breweries, Limited—Quarterly 50 cents a share on common and 44 cents a share on preferred, both payable April 1, record March 16. The common stock was raised to the annual rate of $2 a share against $1.60 a share previously.

Canada Northern Power Corporation, Limited—1 3-4 per cent on the preferred, payable April 15, record March 31; 30 cents on the common, payable April 25, record March 31.

Silver Markets

LONDON, Feb. 25 (AP).—Bar silver quiet, 1-8 lower at 19 3-4d.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Feb. 25 (AP).—Bar silver quiet and unchanged at 44 3-4.

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News of Mines

(Mara, Bate & Co., Ltd.)

Siscoe Gold—Declaration by Siscoe of an extra 1c along with the regular 5c for the first quarter of 1936 suggests continuation of the higher level of earnings established in the final quarter of 1935. In the latter period net per share jumped to 6.38c from 5.76c in the third quarter, and an average of 5.56c in the first three-quarters of the year. The upward trend in the fourth quarter resulted from lighter development charges and a higher average grade of ore treated, which raised the ratio of net to gross earnings.

Premier Gold announces dividend of 3c plus a bonus of 1c per share, both payable April 15 to shareholders of record March 12. The bonus is believed to have been declared on profits from sale of the company's assets.

Hard Rock Gold has completed an agreement with Goldale Mines, Ltd., whereby Goldale immediately purchases and pays for 200,000 shares of Hard Rock Gold Mines stock at 45c per share and acquires the option of purchasing 200,000 shares at 65c per share and 99,995 shares at 75c per share, all options to be exercised by January 1, 1937. The Hard Rock Gold Company is informed that Goldale has an associate in the transaction to the extent of a half interest.

Macassa Mines continues to add ore both ways on its 2,950 and lowest level. In January 23 issue it was said that there was 650 feet of ore then on this level, 450 feet of it porphyry ore west and all richer and wider than on levels above. A couple of hundred feet should have been added in the past month.

Pickle Crow Mine—Directors have declared an initial dividend of 5c a share, payable March 31, to shareholders of record March 15. Ore situation extending rapidly at Pickle Crow. Already almost a thousand feet exposed in drifts at three new levels. Initial dividend to be paid end of March. Officials highly pleased with mine position.

Buffalo Ankerite—Net profits for the year, including December revenue and expenditures from the Marbuan property, which was taken over as of November 30, amounted to $156,866, after all charges, equivalent to 22.35c a share on 701,679 shares issued and to be issued at the year-end. Combined ore reserves of the two properties at December 31, including probable and possible ore, amounted to 1,093,892 tons, having a gross value of approximately $8,900,000 at $35 gold.

Hudson Bay Mining & Smelting Company is reported as now installing two further power units at its Island Lake power plant. This is taken as indication of the coming set-up in total tonnage this Summer. It is not known whether the power additions are also in consideration of Sherritt Gordon's possible reopening in a few months. Should the latter reopen, it would ship its concentrates as formerly to the Flin Flon Smelter. The latter in turn ships its smelted concentrates to the East Montreal refinery of Canadian Refiners, Ltd., the Noranda subsidiary.

McIntyre Porcupine—It was revealed a couple of months ago that McIntyre holds 100,000 shares of International Nickel among its investments. At current prices (around $53.50) the company holdings of International Nickel are worth $5,350,000, which would represent approximately $6.75 per share of McIntyre stock outstanding.

Canadian Malartic had net profit of $24,994 in the eight months ended December 31, 1935. During this period 38,599 tons of ore were milled with a recovery of $7.31 per ton. After deducting operating costs of $4.80 per ton and marketing charges, the operating profit was $93,116, or $2.41 per ton. Taxes, depreciation and deferred development, written off at the rate of $1 per ton milled, reduced the net profit to $24,994. Total ore reserves at December 31, 1935, 609,000 tons, averaging $6.96 per ton (value gold $35.00), compared with 538,000 tons averaging $7.17 per ton at December 1, 1934.

Cosmos Imperial—Holders in Canada of the present 7 per cent preference shares, which have been called for redemption on April 6, 1936, are being offered the privilege of purchasing five new 5 per cent first preference shares at $100 per share in respect of each twelve and one-half 7 per cent preference shares held by them at the close of business, February 18. Holders of common shares in Canada are being offered the privilege of purchasing three of the new common shares in respect of each seven common shares held by them at the close of business on December 18, at the price of $17.00 per share. These offerings to shareholders are open only until March 2, 1936.

Toburn Gold—Kirkland Lake producer, is reported as ready to commence work immediately on the recently-optioned Balzimer-Doody group of claims at Herbin Lake, adjoining Payore Gold Mines. It is reported that surface exploration and sampling will be carried out preparatory to a programme of diamond drilling.

Pacific Eastern Gold—Latest report from Bridge River states that at 1,600 feet the cross-cut was still cutting through greenstone, having penetrated the favorable formation for 213 feet.

Minto Gold Mines, Ltd.—Operations, like those of other Bridge River mines, have been interrupted by severe cold spell, causing water shortage. Company has shipped up a new pump and necessary pipe so that water may be pumped from Bridge River when required. This will make operation independent of Davidson Creek from which the water supply has been secured to date. Andrew Larson, director, is making a survey of mine pending decision as to development programme. He is said to favor opening ore at depth and working on the river-level tunnel.

International Nickel—The advance in the price of copper in New York to nine and one-half cents a pound is a very constructive development for this company, which is a large producer of copper, the red metal being a by-product in the mining of nickel. The 1935 statement of International Nickel, to be made public next month, will show the best earnings in the company's history.



TOONERVILLE FOLKS

THE TUTTS . . . By Crawford Young



THE FAMILY ALBUM—STAIRS By CLUYAS WILLIAMS



Jane Dixon Says:

HAVE PARENTS FORGOTTEN THAT ONCE IT WAS JUNE AND LOVE WAS YOUNG? SOME LETTERS MAKE ME DOUBT THAT WISDOM IS THEIR INEVITABLE ADJUNCT.

More parent problems.

Please, will some of you parents help me out?

So many of my young folks write me, "I'm at my wits' end."

Have parents really lost their stance.

Have they forgotten that once it was June and love was young?

Letters like the following make me doubt that wisdom is an inevitable adjunct of parenthood.

"Dear Miss Dixon: Why, oh why, are some parents so jealous and so unjust?

"Why do they forget that once they were young and in love (or were they?)

"I'm twenty years old and, honestly, I have to go through Hades every time I have a date.

"Miss Dixon, it would be different if I were going out doing disgraceful things. Then they'd have a right to reprove me. Here's why I can't understand their cruelty: I've always had the best of reputations and I've lived a good Christian life. I don't drink, smoke or 'pet.' I don't even dance or play cards. These things are against my religious scruples for Christ lives in my heart. I don't go riding in automobiles or stay out later than 11 o'clock—at a movie.

PARENTS THREATENED HER SWEETHEART

"I went with a fine boy for five years, and we loved each other, but as soon as my parents discovered our love they turned against the boy and they made life miserable for us. Everyone liked this boy and respected him, but I became terrified by my parents' threats that they would 'kill him the next time he put his foot in their house.'

"Finally it got so bad that we agreed to give each other up, to try to forget our love.

"I'm a high school graduate. I've worked in an office ever since my graduation. I've given my parents everything I make except carfare and lunch money.

"To be exact, I give and have given steadily twelve dollars a week out of the fifteen I earn. Recently they have been threatening to make me quit work because 'I spend so much on myself and don't give them enough.'

"Now I have a new problem. I gave up the man I loved once because there could be no peace in that love, but I find that the moment a young man is attentive to me my parents begin to run him down to what they call 'the gutter.'

A NEW LOVE AND MISERY

"I've been going with a very fine boy for six months and I love him. All my friends like him tremendously. He comes from an excellent family. He wants me to marry him. My parents are doing the usual stuff. His mouth is too big. His voice is too deep. He's a clown. You should hear the names they call him. Honestly, they seem to get a kick out of insulting my friends and my sister's friends. And, they demand, after such conduct, that we respect them.

"The boy and I live in misery. I find myself in a stupor in my office over my work, thinking about the scenes in my home the night before. Marriage? Yes, but the boy's job is uncertain. We can't take a chance. We have to show my parents that we can make a go of our love.

"I want the respect of my parents. I want to love them. I want and need my mother's companionship. And all I have is FEAR.

"Perhaps this letter will disgust you. Anyhow it's the truth, and you've said so many times that the right thing to do is to face the truth.

"What would you do?—Heartbroken."

STOP BEING A COWARD

Answers: I not only feel heartbroken after thinking your letter over, but I feel torn limb from limb.

You are a Christian young woman. If you are a member of a church go to your pastor and tell him what you have told me. Not a part of what you have told me, but ALL of it.

If you are not affiliated with a church, go to any pastor you select and enlist his help. Don't hesitate. That is what men of the cloth are for, to help those of us in distress.

Should this possible way of solution not meet with your approval then be more definite. You are of age and a wage-earner. You are self-supporting. Stop being a coward. Take your life in hand before it is too late.

Tell your parents that their reign of terror is finished.

Make them understand that YOU will love and respect them if THEY will give you love and respect in return. Otherwise—for me it would be a little old room somewhere, anywhere, and my own fifteen dollars a week, my right to live my life quietly, sanely, decently.

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APPLE MARY By Martha Orr



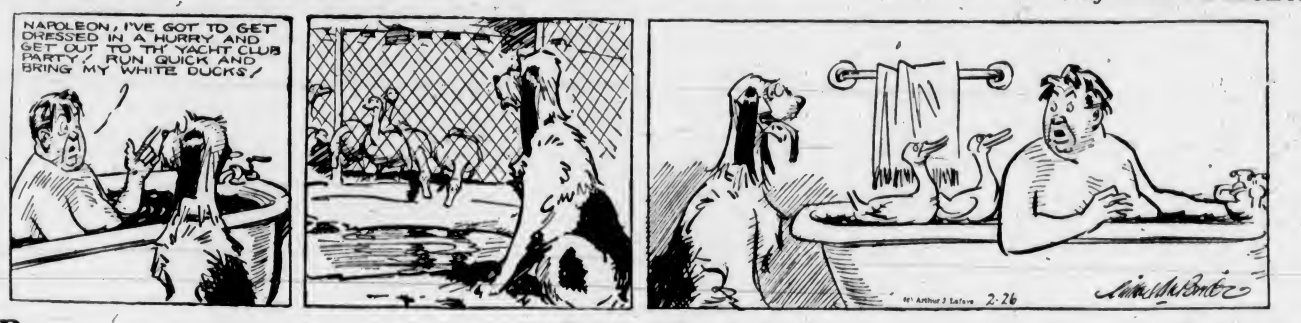
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The Daily Colonist

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2 DEATHS

MOTTERSHEAD—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Saturday, February 22, Emily Jenny Mottershead, aged fifty-one years, wife of Fred Mottershead, of 914 Dunn Avenue, Saanich. The late Mrs. Mottershead was born in Macclesfield, Cheshire, England, and had been a resident of this province for the past twenty-three years, and is mourned by, besides her husband, three brothers and four sisters in England.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home at 2 o'clock. Rev. O. L. Jull will conduct the service, after which interment will be in Colwood Burial Park.

SLADE—There passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital on Sunday, after a short illness, Eva Kate Slade, of 1110 Tattersall Drive, Saanich. Born in Brighton, England, the late Mrs. Slade was seventy years of age. She resided for many years in Edmonton, Alberta, previous to moving to this city four months ago. She is survived by her husband, Joseph, at the family residence; one daughter, Mrs. H. B. Craig, of Edmonton; one son, A. J. Slade, at North Tonawanda, New York State; one sister, Mrs. Merrick Palmer, St. Thomas, Ontario, and two brothers, A. J. Worsley, Vancouver, Wash., and C. R. Cowley, Oak Park, Ill.

Funeral services which had been announced for this afternoon will be held Friday at 3 o'clock from the parlors of the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Rev. G. A. Reynolds will officiate and the remains will be laid at rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

SHEPHERD—There passed away on Tuesday, February 25, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. A. E. Humphries, 948 Pandora Avenue, Mary Ann Shepherd, in her eighty-eighth year. She leaves to mourn her passing, three sons and five daughters, Robert, of Toronto, Ont.; Alfred, of Birtle, Man.; William E., of Victoria; Mrs. A. E. Humphries, of Victoria, with whom she had resided for the past fourteen years; Mrs. W. J. Watson, of California; Mrs. Fred Calverly, of Glenboro, Man.; Mrs. R. Marsh, of Nipawin, Sask., and Mrs. P. Farough, of Elgin, Man.; also thirty-five grandchildren and twenty-two great-grandchildren. The late Mrs. Shepherd was born February 14, 1849, in the Province of Quebec, came to Glenboro, Man., with her family in 1889, where she was one of the pioneers of the district, later moving to Treebank, Man., and later moving to Victoria in 1921. She was predeceased by her husband, J. C. Shepherd, in 1932.

The remains are resting at the Thomson Funeral Home, from where the funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon, February 27, at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will be made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

4 CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Alexander and daughters wish to take this opportunity to express their heartfelt gratitude to their many friends for the expressions of sympathy and the beautiful flowers sent during their recent sad bereavement of a loving daughter and sister, also for the assistance given by the Provincial Police and others at Langford Lake.

5 IN MEMORIAM

KING—In loving memory of my dear wife, who passed away on February 26, 1934.

One of the best that God could send,
A faithful wife, a loving friend.
Not dead to me who loved her,
Not lost, but gone before.
She lives with me in memory,
And will forever more.

—Inserted by her loving husband, H. O. King.

6 FUNERAL DIRECTORS

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8 MONUMENTAL WORKS

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10 COMING EVENTS

AN OLD-TIME DANCE WILL BE HELD in the New Ballroom (floating floor) at the Army and Navy Club, 1001 Wharf Street, on Wednesday, February 26. Dancing from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. 35c. Red Barber's Orchestra. Free checkroom and tombola.

A BEGINNERS' CLASS IN CANADIAN old-time dancing, Lake Hill Community Centre, Wednesday, February 26. Instruction by Eileen and Clifford Moore, 7.45 to 9, practice, 9 till 11. Irvine's orchestra; 15c. "You'll enjoy this."

AN OLD-TIME LEAP YEAR DANCE, Royal Oak Hall, February 28, 9 p.m. "Red" Barker's orchestra; tombolas, 35c.

COLWOOD BURNS CLUB BIG SCOTTISH Leap Year dance, Colwood Hall, Thursday, February 27, 8.30. Large wedding cake will be given as a special attraction. Good music. Refreshments. Admission 35c.

C.C.F. HALL AT MT. TOLMIE, SUNDAY (today), at 3 p.m. Speaker, Mrs. R. P. Steeves, M.L.A. Subject, "Problems of the Transition Period."

CRYSTAL GARDEN DANCE, EVERY Saturday night, 9 to 12. Admission 35c.

DANCE TO THE MUSIC OF THE CARIBOO Cowboys 6-piece orchestra and their announcer, old and modern, at the Shrine Hall, Friday, February 28, dancing 9 to 1. Admission 50c. Get them on CJOR, Monday, 7.45; Tuesday, 5.15; Thursday, 5.15; Saturday, 7.30 p.m.

DANCING IN THE NEW BALLROOM every Saturday night, 9 to 12, at the Army and Navy Club, 1001 Wharf Street; 35c, including free checkroom and tombolas. Al. Price's Orchestra.

DINE AND DANCE AT PEKIN CAFE, Gov't St., every Sat. at 8 p.m.; orchestra; no cover charge. Come up and Pekin.

DANCING CLASS, ROYAL OAK HALL, postponed one week.

LUXTON OLD-TIME DANCE POSTPONED till next Wednesday owing to bad weather.

NEW PROGRESSIVE WHIST, TONIGHT, 8.30, 1330 Government. Prizes two $4, two $2, two $1, specials.

TRUCK DRIVERS AND HELPERS' UNION meets Thursday, February 27, 8 p.m., Trades and Labor Hall.

USUAL WEDNESDAY NIGHT DANCE, Palais de Danse, tonight, 8.30 till 1. Hal Price's Orchestra. 50c, including supper.

WARD 3 CONSERVATIVES WILL HAVE as guest speaker H. D. Twigg at their monthly social gathering, Friday, February 28. Conservative Rooms, Campbell Building, 8 o'clock. Good programme and refreshments. Silver collection. Everybody welcome.

WARD TWO SAANICH CONSERVATIVE Association 500 card party will be held at the home of John Watson, 1000 Cloverdale Avenue, February 28, 8 o'clock. Prizes and refreshments.

13 WANTED—MALE HELP

CANVASSING SALESMAN WANTED. Must be producer, own your own car. Good salesman can earn $40 weekly. State qualifications in own handwriting. Box 2473, Colonist.

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17 SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

A. J. GREGG — HOUSE WINDOWS cleaned, outside, 6c each. G 6033.

CHINESE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 674 Johnson Street.

I NEED WORK, ANYTHING IN CARPENTERING, building, repairs, shingling; at prices you can afford to pay. E 6778.

REFINED YOUNG MAN WILL EXCHANGE services in return for room and board. Box 2498, Colonist.

ROCK WORK, EXCAVATING, DITCHING, wells, air steel outfit; stump shot. G 4486.

RELIABLE CARPENTRY, KALSOMINING, painting. Low charges. E 4270.

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17A PAINTERS AND DECORATORS

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17B SHINGLING

RESHINGLING, ON TERMS, REASONABLE, guaranteed work. Peine, G 7058.

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ALTERATIONS, REPAIRING, ROOFING, building. Established 25 years. Thirkell. E 4625.

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BUILDING, ALTERATIONS, ROOF REPAIRS, brickwork, plaster, cement. E 9880.

17 SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE (Continued)

WEATHERSTRIPPING

PEACE METAL WEATHERSTRIPPING for windows, doors. Stops drafts, rattles, saves fuel. B. T. Leigh, E 9685.

18 SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

DRESSMAKING, ALTERATIONS, SLIP covers, 25c hour and car fare. E 0758.

GIRL WANTS HOUSEWORK, BY THE day; $1.00 day and car fare. Box 2484, Colonist.

20 NURSING AND CONVALESCENT HOME

PRIVATE NURSING HOME, 1264 MONTROSE Ave. Nervous, chronic and aged cases. Reasonable rates. Phone E 5031.

21 PERSONAL

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In 1923 I became a junior member of the Waverley Country Club in Portland, Oregon, and it was a fortunate occurrence to my golfing career. For it was then that I met Dr. Oscar F. Willing. I was a youngster about thirteen then and was struggling with my game in the worst way, and believe me, I had my troubles. Dr. Willing, one of the finest all-time putters and an experienced Walker Cup player, took me under his wing and gave me some of the pointers that he had learned through a number of years' play.

Outstanding above all the many things he told me was his system of putting. His grip with the left hand was rather revolutionary to me, I used my left hand in the putting stroke the same as in any other,



DR. O. F. WILLING

until he showed me his way of holding the club, a way to keep the blade of the putter square to the ball.

NON-ROLLING WRISTS

Instead of holding the putter in the fingers of his left hand, he used a palm grip, that is, he let the putter shaft run up along the life line of his left hand and then folded his fingers over the shaft of the club. The "V" formed between the thumb and index finger points straight up to the centre of the face. The thumbs are on the top of the shaft and the right hand is used the same as in any other putting stroke. Contrary to the wrist position for other shots in the game, the top of the left wrist is forward, or up, instead of down, the opposite of being cocked. This tends to prevent rolling the wrists and makes a natural back and forth pendulum swing, and the putter blade is kept perpendicular to the line of flight throughout the stroke.

Either the overlapping grip or the reverse-overlapping grip can be used. I personally use the latter, as does Bobby Jones, Tommy Armour, Paul Runyan, Horton Smith, Johnny Revolta and a host of others.

I believe it should be left up to the individual to select a stance that gives him a feeling of confidence and comfort. Most good putters play the ball more off the left foot than the right, because this will aid them to hit straight through the ball and catch it a little more on the upstroke—thus giving the ball an overspin, which will tend to make it have a truer roll. Most of these players spread their feet about a foot and keep most of their weight on the left foot throughout the putting stroke.

TIP FROM CRUICKSHANK

The greatest single hint I ever received to aid my putting was to keep my body and head perfectly still throughout the putting stroke on putts of fifteen feet or under, especially as I use a wrist stroke.

Bobby Cruickshank gave me this suggestion shortly after my return from England in 1934. I was playing a practice round before the open championship at Merion with Bobby and Tommy Armour. After I had missed about four short putts, Bobby turned to me and said, "Try holding your head and body still. You look like you are about to do a Charleston when you putt." I followed his advice and immediately the putts started to drop.

All of those people who had the opportunity of seeing Johnny Revolta in action, when he won the P.G.A. championship at Oklahoma City last October, realized the importance of good putting.

In this particular tournament Johnny was more than just a good putter — he was spectacular all through the week, starting with his first match against Hagen, whom he defeated 2 up. He climaxed his week of phenomenal putting against Tommy Armour, who was representing the veterans. In the morning round, Johnny had eleven one-putt greens, a remarkable performance, and yet his medal score was just even par — 70. If he had putted normally, say only five one-putt greens, he would have scored about 76 and probably would have been one or two down instead of four up. Johnny's driving seemed good but he was having trouble with his second shots. He more than made up for his wildness in this department of the game by his work around the greens. He certainly kept the gallery in a permanent state of suspense when he got that putter in his hands.

FROM THE HAGUE

While I was in Oklahoma City, I had a chance to talk to Walter Hagen frequently. On one of these occasions he turned to me and said: "Lawson, you are a bold putter; that is, you go for most putts, so frequently your ball rolls past the hole, sometimes as much as eight feet. I have found it very beneficial to watch the ball as it goes by the hole, noting the break. This helps me judge the roll on the return putt."

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Esquimalt Cage Squad Triumphs

Esquimalt High School basketballers gained a close 24 to 15 victory over Mount View team yesterday in another Peden Cup League game at the Lake Hill gym. At the halfway mark Esquimalt were leading 9-4. The game was evenly contested by both teams, and this win by Esquimalt places them in third position in the league.

Ed Farey refereed, and the teams lined up as follows:

Mount View—Bates, 6; Spark, 2; Dale, 5; Treloar, 2, and Duncan.

Esquimalt—De Costa, 14; Stewart, 2; Hill; Robinson, 8; Smith, Acreman and Doight.

PEDEN THREE LAPS BEHIND

"Torchy" and DeBaets Trail Field in New York Six-Day Race

NEW YORK, Feb. 26 (AP).—Minus three teams which had dropped too far behind the pace to be contenders, New York's sixtieth international six-day bike race moved into its third full day today with the Audy Buysse and Hill-Walthour teams tied for the lead.

	M.	L.	P.
Audy-Buysse	952	7	122
Hill-Walthour	952	7	94
Kilian-Vopel	952	6	112
Ignat-Diot	952	5	169
Debruycker-Verhaege	952	3	160
Grillo-Vanslambrouck	952	5	56
Peden-Debaets	952	5	119
Reboll-Crossley	952	3	84
Severgnini-Brocardo	952	3	82
Winter-Yates	952	2	99
Cohen-Rodman	952	1	84

Marconi Gallops To Easy Victory In Saltley Chase

BIRMINGHAM, Feb. 25 (AP).—Marconi, four-year-old bay colt of the Royal Stables, won the two-mile Saltley Chase here today, running under the direction of the Earl of Derby who has leased all the royal horses during the period of Court mourning.

Marconi started at 8 to 1 and finished twenty-five lengths ahead after the favorite, Sweetbury, fell at the last fence when holding a commanding lead. Marconi entered the 1935 Derby, but was scratched. This was his first appearance in a steeplechase.

HOCKEY RESULTS

Last night's hockey results follow:

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Toronto 2, New York Rangers 2.
Chicago 2, Montreal Maroon 0.
Boston 3, Americans 2.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
Cleveland 5, Windsor 2.
Rochester 3, Buffalo 1.

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE
Calgary 7, Edmonton 3.

RUGBY WORKOUT

Victoria's "rep" Rugby squad will hold a workout this evening at the Victoria High School gymnasium at 6 o'clock. All players are requested to attend.

As Olympiad Was Opened



Eyes of the sport world rest on Germany as the eleventh Olympic Games get under way with the Winter sports at Garmisch-Partenkirchen, and the Summer games scheduled for next Summer at Berlin. The Third Reich is enthusiastically welcoming the world amateur sport meet. Two Olympic scenes are shown above. At the top, German sports leader Hans von Tschammer-Osten (arrow) greeted with hearty Nazi cheers, receives the huge Olympic bell which tolls to announce the games open. Below, shows the gates at the entrance to the ice stadium in the Bavarian hills. Through this gate all athletes must pass, as they participate in the various sports. The sign over the gate reads: "We Greet the Youth of the World."

CALGARY WINS

EDMONTON, Feb. 25 (AP).—Edmonton Eskimos, weakened by the withdrawal of Art Gagne and recent sickness of Louis Holmes, their two outstanding forwards, dropped a 7-3 decision to Calgary Tigers in a Northwestern Hockey League game here tonight. Tigers victory shortened the distance between the fourth place blubber eaters and the place Calgary club to one point.

Letters to the Editor

REFEREES' EXAMINATIONS

Sports Editor:

Dear Sir,—May I say a few words upon the subject of basketball referees' examinations in the Province of British Columbia? The qualifications for an "A" basketball referee are what? Anybody's guess is as good as mine, maybe better. But we hear in a roundabout way that a referee, after attending an interpretation meeting (in Victoria's case this interpretation meeting means a round trip of 160 miles to Nanaimo and return, and always in the dead of Winter), may sit for a theory test of forty questions. Out of these forty questions, thirty-five must be answered correctly, then after a small matter of paying his dues to the association he must submit to a floor test by the Island officials. Provided he passes this test, he is now on a sure footing for the fiasco, the "A" test for approved officials.

The theory test in Victoria was very fairly and capably handled, so much so that in the Island floor test there were three examiners. One of these examiners watched the game from the gallery, and the other two placed themselves on opposite sides of the playing floor. Each examiner had the official examination paper to mark and candidates were passed or failed from the average of these papers. In the "A" test the referee has to be satisfied with the markings of one man with a committee of his own choosing. What more qualifications this examiner has over the rest of basketball officials and referees I fail to see, and if the manner in which the "A" test was conducted in Victoria was any criterion as to his ability as an examiner of basketball referees, I wouldn't lose a great deal of sleep over not passing.

My name has been mentioned as a possible referee for the British Columbia senior "A" playdowns, but before anything is settled in this matter permit me to place the true manner in which the senior "A" test was held in Victoria.

The examiner and a committee of two sat at a table, which was placed against the wall on the playing floor, possibly at the halfway mark of the playing court. From this position these men were supposed to decide whether the referee's decisions were correct or not. Now, in the name of common sense, how is it possible to see all plays from this position, let alone judge whether the referee is right or wrong. The playing area of a basketball court is ninety-four feet in length by fifty feet in width. Again, as a candidate, I did not see any official papers marked, and believe me here is one thing I looked for. The only thing, to my knowledge, which was marked, was a notebook, but if I am wrong in this question I can easily be corrected. Just show me the official examination papers with the correct date and each examiner's signature inscribed thereon. This fact alone should prove conclusively to the players and fans whether the examination was or wasn't.

Personally, I have had the pleasure to have been actively connected with basketball as a referee for the last ten years, but I must say I cannot agree with the powers that be that no referee in British Columbia is eligible for an "A" ticket. There are men in Vancouver who handled the last Dominion final. Surely these men have "A" qualifications? If not, please advise just what qualifications the examiner is holding.

A referees' examination should be held by three unbiased judges placed in separate positions, with separate papers to mark, and should be held unknown to the referees being examined. There are capable men in Victoria for this work. Why should we be forced to import our judge? Victoria knows enough about basketball to be Canadian champions. Surely this city can provide good basketball referee examiners.

Thank you.

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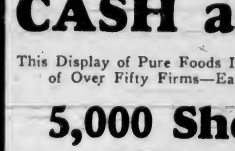


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Royal City Corn, per tin..... 11¢
Royal City Pumpkin, 2½'s, per tin..... 12¢
Royal City Apricots, 2½'s, per tin..... 28¢
Royal City Pears, 2½'s, per tin..... 30¢

W. A. Jameson Coffee Co., Ltd.
VICTORIA, B.C.



Jameson's Tea at, per lb..... 45¢
Jameson's Coffee at, per lb..... 31¢
Jameson's Baking Powder, per lb. 19¢
Jameson's Extracts, 2 oz., per bottle..... 18¢
Jameson's Cocoa, 1-lb. carton..... 24¢
Jameson's Vanart, Vanilla, 2-oz. bottle 20¢

Hodgson Apiaries
JARVIS, ONTARIO

Brown Bear Honey, 4's, per tin..... 52¢
Brown Bear Honey, 2's, per tin..... 28¢



J. H. Todd & Sons
VICTORIA, B.C.

Packers of the Famous Horseshoe Salmon
Horseshoe Salmon, ½'s, per tin..... 16¢
Horseshoe Salmon, 1's, per tin..... 31¢
Tiger Salmon, ½'s, per tin..... 12¢
Tiger Salmon, 1's, per tin..... 21¢
Sunflower Salmon, ½'s, 2 tins..... 15¢
Sunflower Salmon, 1's, per tin..... 10¢



Glycerine Pumice Soap Co.
VANCOUVER, B.C.

The Soap with a hand lotion in every wash. Lathers freely in hard and sea water. Per tablet..... 10¢



Peek, Frean & Co., Ltd.
LONDON, ENGLAND

A large assortment of all the popular varieties of these famous biscuits, including—
Assorted Shortcakes, per pkg..... 21¢
Assorted Creams, per pkg..... 21¢
Butter Puffs, per pkg..... 20¢
Caviar Puffs, per pkg..... 25¢
Family Assorted, per pkg..... 21¢
Lemon Puffs, per pkg..... 15¢
Pastry Waffles, per pkg..... 20¢
Abernethy, per pkg..... 20¢
Twiglets, per pkg..... 30¢

White & Cottell
LONDON, ENGLAND

Pure Malt Vinegar, imperial quart, at, per bottle..... 19¢
Burma Sauce, 5 oz., per bottle..... 17¢
Burma Sauce, 9 oz., per bottle..... 22¢
Worcestershire Sauce, 5 oz., bottle, 16¢
Worcestershire Sauce, 10 oz., bottle, 23¢

Empress Manufacturing Co., Ltd.
VANCOUVER, B.C.



Empress Assorted Extracts, 2 oz., per bot 18¢
Empress Jelly Powders, 2 pkgs..... 9¢
Empress Coffee, in vacuum jars, per lb. 37¢
Empress Tea, lb. 42¢
Empress Orange Marmalade, 4's, per tin..... 39¢
Empress Strawberry, Raspberry or Black Currant Jam, 4's, per tin..... 52¢

Canadian Industries, Ltd.
WINDSOR, ONT



Regal Salt, carton..... 7¢
Windsor Iodized Salt, per carton..... 7½¢
Windsor Salt, 7's, per sack..... 16¢
Windsor Salt, 3½'s, per sack..... 9¢
Windsor Salt, 1½'s, 3 cartons 9c

Lake of the Woods Milling Co.
KENORA, ONT.



Five Roses Flour, 7's, per sack..... 20¢
Five Roses Flour, 24's, per sack..... 95¢
Five Roses Flour, 49's, per sack..... $1.75
Wheat Granules, 6's, per sack..... 34¢
Cracked Wheat, 3's, per sack..... 19¢
Graham Flour, 5's, per sack..... 24¢
Whole Wheat Flour, 5's, per sack..... 24¢

Superior Health Foods
VANCOUVER, B.C.



Rolocream Oats, large pkt. for..... 24¢
Rolocream Oats, small pkt. for..... 15¢
Dina-Mite Health Cereal, per pkg..... 21¢

Independent Biscuit Co.
VANCOUVER, B.C.

I.B.C. Select Sodas, plain or salt, 2 for 25¢
Assorted Cream-Filled Biscuits, lb..... 22¢

Best Foods, Incorporated
VANCOUVER, B.C.



Mayonnaise or Relish Spread, 3½ oz., per bottle..... 12¢
Mayonnaise or Relish Spread, 8 oz., at, per bottle..... 21¢
Mayonnaise or Relish Spread, 16 oz., at, per bottle..... 38¢
French Dressing, per bottle..... 25¢
Salad Dressing, 12 oz., per bottle..... 23¢
Thousand Island Dressing at, per bottle..... 21¢

Borden Co., Ltd.
TORONTO, ONT.

Borden's, Chocolate Malted Milk, 1's, per tin..... 35¢



Borden's Evaporated Milk, tall tins, 2 for..... 19¢
Borden's Evaporated Milk, baby size, per tin..... 5¢
Two tins Borden's Condensed Milk 41c With Magic Cook Book Free

Dr. Jackson's Foods, Ltd.
TORONTO, ONTARIO



Roman Meal, per pkg..... 31¢
Lishus, per pkg..... 31¢
Bekus Puddy, per pkg..... 31¢
Kofy Sub, per pkg..... 31¢



Hedlund's, Limited
VANCOUVER, B.C.

Steak and Mushrooms, 1's, per tin..... 35¢
Lunch Loaf, 1's, per tin..... 24¢
Pork Sausage, 1's, per tin..... 24¢
Meat Balls and Gravy, 1's, per tin..... 24¢
Quick Dinner, 1's, per tin..... 24¢
Clam Chowder, per tin..... 9¢
Potted Meats, per tin..... 10¢

Connors Bros., Ltd.
BLACKS HARBOR, N.B.

Brunswick Sardines, 2 tins..... 9¢
Jutland Sardines, 2 tins..... 11¢
Glacier Sardines, per tin..... 7¢
Whole Clams, 1's, per tin..... 8¢
Herrings with Tomato Sauce, 2 tins..... 21¢

Christie Brown, Co.
VANCOUVER, B.C.

Manufacturers of the Famous Christie's Biscuits

Ritz, per pkg..... 16¢
Christie's Assorted, 1-lb. pkg..... 33¢

DAVID SPENCER LIMITED